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## ABSTRACT

This volume brings together, by state, all of the oral history materials in existence in 45 states and the District of Columbia, so far as the Oral History Association has been able to uncover them. Oral history is defined as primary source material in the form of tape and/or transcript resulting from recorded interviews with persons deemed likely to harbor recollections of interest to scholars. The topical range of the 230 indexed collections is wide, including terms of interest to the political scientist, art historian, medical scholar, student of the civil rights movement, musicologist, labor expert, economist, science writer, urbanist, and many others. In public affairs the range runs from country courthouses to Presidential administrations. Archives of recorded sound, collections which consist primarily of speeches, folk music, radio interviews, and the like, are not considered within the scope of oral history. Collection entries include institution address, major topic, memoirs of note, purpose, age and funding of the project, and extent of holdings. Lists of institutional collections intended for internal use and other institutions planning collections are appended. (Author/DJB)



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# Oral History

## IN THE UNITED STATES

A Directory

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## INTRODUCTION

THIS VOLUME brings together, by state, all of the oral history materials in existence in the United States, so far as an industrious effort by the Oral History Association has been able to uncover them. Oral history is defined as primary source material in the form of tape or transcript (in many cases both), resulting from recorded interviews with persons deemed likely to harbor recollections of interest to scholars.

Since the scholarly world is interested in practically everything, the topical range is wide. Political scientist, art historian, medical scholar, student of the civil rights movement, musicologist, labor expert, economist, science writer, urbanist—all of these, and many others, will find treasure here. In public affairs, the range runs from country courthouses to Presidential administrations. Archeology is not neglected, and neither is the technology of the space age. Establishmentarians are represented; so are student activists.

The compilers hope that *Oral History in the United States*, by opening this door upon an astonishing wealth of little known source material, will lead scholars to make use of it, further stimulating the oral history movement.\*

The size of this edition testifies to the vigor of that movement today. In 1965 Columbia University's Oral History office first published, as part of its annual report for that year, a compilation bearing the same title as this one. The entries ran to all of twelve pages. Other figures document the phenomenal growth of oral history in recent years, those for 1965 having been extrapolated from the Columbia report and those for 1971 from this one:

	1965	1971
Total Projects	89	230
Projects Planned	7	93
Persons Interviewed	Not Available	23,115
Hours Recorded	17,441	52,264
Pages of Transcript	398,556	704,543

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\*Final question in a survey by the Society of American Archivists' Committee on Oral History, 1971: *Do you feel that your oral history interviews are used by researchers as much as possible?* Answers: Yes, 19 / No, 53.

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These figures are broadly indicative, rather than precise. Indeed, they understate, in some instances drastically. Omitted from the Persons Interviewed total for 1971, for example, are those interviewed by thirty-seven projects that neglected to supply this information. So it is with hours recorded: seventy gave no answer. It is likely that the figures given for pages of transcription understate most of all. Only thirty-eight per cent of the reporting projects gave this statistic in the current survey, the same percentage as in 1965.

Experience tells us that the 1971 total for pages, assuming double-spaced pica type on standard typewriter paper, would be in the neighborhood of 1,411,000 if all the *known* hours recorded had been transcribed. The total given is less than half of that.

The reporting problem aside, this vast discrepancy reflects the fact that for all the interest it has generated, oral history remains critically underfinanced. Studies of the use of oral history over the last decade have shown time and time again that transcripts edited by the oral authors, rather than tapes, are what scholars want. Lack of funds for transcribing, on the evidence here and on our questionnaires, constitutes a major hindrance. Yet many press on with their interviewing in hopes that the means to transcribe will be found—in some instances, mayhap, long after their respondents are dead—and this in itself tells something of the dedication of those engaged in this work.

It has been thus from the start, when Allan Nevins endured the undisguised skepticism and indifference of his colleagues at Columbia, confident that posterity, at least, would bear him out. He lived to see his idea applied by institutions all over the country, and the work of the office he founded put to use by thousands of scholars, including the foremost of them. (In the year he died, 1971, these included winners of the Bancroft, National Book, Francis Parkman and Pulitzer prizes.)

No other publication describes oral history materials, but it is worth noting here that the National Union Catalog of Manuscript Collections, beginning with its 1971 edition, will include oral history collections large enough to meet its criteria. A majority of those given here do not yet do so.



A word should be said about the scope of this compilation. It omits archives of recorded sound—collections which consist primarily of speeches, folk music, radio interviews and the like—for these, however valuable, fall outside the bounds of oral history as we have defined it. It lists separately those collections which are intended primarily for internal use by the sponsoring institution, but some have been included in the

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mainstream where it appeared justifiable. The entries include, so far as possible, all of the information produced by our survey, with the general exception of answers to a question about the purpose of the work. The responses were in most instances self-evident. To conserve space and avoid endless repetition, only a sampling is given.

## ACKNOWLEDGEMENTS

A sheaf of correspondence thicker by far than this volume lies behind the making of it. The writer, when President of the Oral History Association in 1968, urged that body to assume responsibility for publishing such a guide. The OHA Council voted to do so, and my successor, Dr. Gould Colman of Cornell, found a ready volunteer in Dr. Gary L. Shumway of the California State College at Fullerton.

Dr. Shumway devised a questionnaire, and sent it to all members of the Association in October, 1969. A team headed by Steven Guttman, graduate assistant to Dr. Shumway, then sought to reduce the mass of answers on the questionnaires to intelligible descriptions of the projects. These went to the respondents for updating and correcting in the spring of 1970. In mid-July, a draft describing 125 programs was sent to the Columbia Oral History office for review. Mrs. Elizabeth Mason, associate director, checked these against the Columbia files and promptly did a mailing to 157 additional institutions. The responses were forwarded to Dr. Shumway in mid-September, and these in turn were compiled in time for review with the earlier ones at the Fifth National Colloquium on Oral History at Asilomar, Pacific Grove, California, in November.

Here there was a further updating of entries, and a review of the whole by the OHA Council. Because Columbia has served as an information center on oral history from the beginning, the Council asked me to include last minute data, do the final editing, and see the project to press.

Those who know Elizabeth Mason need not be told that her spirited and wonderfully knowledgeable work was crucial in this phase. We were assisted at every turn by Christine Erazo of the Columbia office. We agree, however, that the volunteer who had already seen to it that much of the work was done deserves the credit given him on the cover. Dr. Shumway, in turn, wishes us to thank Eileen Ryan, Steven Guttman, Kay Cottrell, Sharone Hincey, Carol Gandy, Arlene Sayre, and Ruth Ellen Wilson for the many hours they gave to this project.

Finally, a special paragraph should be reserved for Phyllis Lewis of Fullerton, who gave herself unstintingly to preparing the index that makes this guide serviceable. Miss Lewis offered to do this at a time when she

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anticipated a light schedule. By the time page proofs were ready for her, she was fully occupied with other work. Notwithstanding, Miss Lewis delivered.



Oral history is developing so rapidly that no guide can keep abreast of it. Projects have started since the completion of the text. The problem of currency was compounded by an innocent question on the questionnaire, "How long has the program been in existence?" This should have called for a starting date. Instead, it evoked answers like, "About a year," leaving one to guess whether the answer was given in 1969, 1970, or since. I can only report that the data given are in all instances recent—as recent as obtainable without further delay in publication.

Those who find errors are free to blame the undersigned. They may comfort themselves with the thought that, just as this volume compares handsomely with the first effort of 1965, so a subsequent should with this one. It should be along a few years hence—this time, perhaps, covering the world.

*Columbia University  
June, 1971*

*Louis M. Starr*



## **ALABAMA**

### **AUBURN UNIVERSITY:**

Allen W. Jones  
Director, University Oral History Program  
Department of Archives  
Auburn University  
Auburn, Alabama 36830

Major Topics: Auburn University, Alabama Politics and History, and Alabama Congressmen.

Memoirs deserving special mention: Auburn University Profiles—Some 500 interviews (30 minutes each) with prominent visitors to the campus and Auburn University professors and employees.

Purpose of the program: to collect material about Auburn University and its history; to supplement manuscript collection on deposit in the Archives.

The program is over five years old, ongoing, administered by the department of Archives, with funds provided by the institution.

Five hundred sixty persons interviewed, 750 hours of tape, all preserved. Twenty-five interviews transcribed, 400 pages. Final copy is edited, no index. There is to be a master index. Research and reproduction services available. The collection is available to scholars, with some restrictions placed by the interviewee.

## **ALASKA**

### **ALASKA HISTORICAL LIBRARY:**

Alaska State Library  
Pouch G,  
Juneau, Alaska 99801

Major Topics: Alaskan material.

Memoirs deserving special mention: pioneer memoirs, interviews with politicians, native folktales.

The program is one year old, ongoing, and is part of the library, with government funding.

There are 10-15 hours of tape, all preserved. The collection is available to scholars applying in person and agreeing to the regulations established by the institution.

The library is presently providing tapes, interviewing suggestions, and a recorder to persons willing to conduct interviews which seem worthwhile.

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*TANANA-YUKON HISTORICAL SOCIETY:*

Mrs. Alma H. Matlock  
P.O. Box 1794  
Fairbanks, Alaska 99701

Major Topics: Alaskan pioneers during gold strike days.  
Approximately 100 recorded talks and life stories, none transcribed.

*TONGASS HISTORICAL SOCIETY:*

Mrs. Virginia McGillvray, Museum Director  
P.O. Box 674  
Ketchikan, Alaska 99901

Major Topics: local and southeastern Alaska history.  
Collection: Eight persons interviewed; 5 hours of tape, all preserved, no index. Tapes are available to scholars applying in person and agreeing to the regulations established by the institution.  
Program is "a few" years old, ongoing, and is part of the Historical Society Museum.

**ARKANSAS**

*STATE COLLEGE OF ARKANSAS:*

Waddy W. Moore  
Director, Oral History Office  
State College of Arkansas  
Conway, Arkansas 72032

Major Topics: Arkansas Constitutional Revision; Nursing in Arkansas; and State College of Arkansas history.

Memoirs deserving special mention: Constitutional Convention interviews contain personal background information on the delegates, views of the convention operation and issues, and on national, international and local topics of interest.

The program has been in existence three years, is administered by the history department. Funding is provided by the college and by small individual donations.

Ninety-six persons have been interviewed for 230 hours of tape, all preserved. Sixteen interviews have been transcribed for 1,265 pages. The final copy will be edited and indexed. Most of the collection is now open to scholars.

The project on nursing is a cooperative venture with the Arkansas State Nurses Association, covering the past half century. Both institutions will house copies of the tapes and transcripts.

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### *AMERICAN AVIATION HISTORICAL SOCIETY:*

William W. Clarke  
Coordinator, Oral History Library  
American Aviation Historical Society  
P.O. Box 99  
Redondo Beach, Calif. 90277

Major Topics: Aviation History.

Memoirs deserving special mention: a list is available upon request.

Purpose of the program: to record the personal experiences of participants in the history of aviation, and specific accounts of events, causes and effects of occurrences and decisions.

The program has been in existence informally, 19 years; formally, two years; it is autonomous, with funding from small donations.

Fifty persons have been interviewed, 100-120 hours of tape, all preserved. Ten interviews have been transcribed, approximately 300 pages. Final copy is partially edited but not indexed. Collection available to scholars applying in person and agreeing to the regulations established by the institution.

### *AMERICAN FILM INSTITUTE:*

Richard Thompson, Research Manager  
American Film Institute  
501 Doheny Road  
Beverly Hills, California 90210

Major Topic: History of the film industry.

Memoirs deserving special mention: Allan Dwan history, on 1911-1920 period in Hollywood; George Cukor history, extensive memoirs of a major director.

Purpose of the program: To gather unique records of Hollywood history from subjects who participated in it.

The program has been in existence one and a half years, is ongoing and is administered by the research department. Funding is provided by the Mayer Fund Grant.

Fifty-one persons have been interviewed for 300-400 hours of tape, all

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preserved. Thirteen interviews have been transcribed for 2,200 pages. Final copy is edited with a biographical index. The collection is available to scholars applying in person and research and reproduction services can be arranged. It is restricted where so requested by subject.

### *CALIFORNIA STATE COLLEGE, BAKERSFIELD:*

Dr. Vincent Ponko  
Dean of Humanities  
California State College  
Bakersfield, California 93301  
or  
Orville Armstrong  
1655 Elm Street  
Bakersfield, California 93301

California State College at Bakersfield is a depository for 25 tapes made by Kern County Oral History Conference, an organization which has been meeting regularly for the past three years. This group is currently meeting with the college librarians to discuss procedures for building the oral history collection. The History Department and the Library jointly support the project.

### *CALIFORNIA STATE COLLEGE AT FULLERTON:*

Dr. Gary L. Shumway  
Director, Oral History Program  
California State College  
Fullerton, California 92631

Major Topics: Richard Nixon Project (175 hours), Uranium Industry Project (600 hours), Indian Urbanization Project (75 hours), Community History Project (350 hours of taped interviews with persons significant in some facet of twentieth century Southern California history).

Purpose of the program: To obtain information through the oral history process that may be useful to scholars.

The program has been in existence for four years and is ongoing; interviewing is directed by the history department and the collection is in the Special Collections Section of the library. Funds are provided by the institution and by small donations.

Approximately eight hundred persons have been interviewed, 1,200 hours of tape, all preserved. Three hundred interviews transcribed, 9,000 pages. Final copy is edited and indexed; there is no master index. The

collection is available to scholars applying in person and agreeing to the regulations established by the institution.

The Nixon project consists of interviews with persons who knew Richard M. Nixon during the first 33 years of his life in the communities surrounding Fullerton. The Uranium Industry and Indian Urbanization projects are jointly sponsored with the University of Utah, with copies of tapes and transcriptions available at both institutions.

*CHINESE CULTURE FOUNDATION OF SAN FRANCISCO:*

William D.Y. Wu  
Folklore Workshop Project  
Chinese Culture Foundation of San Francisco  
Kearney at Washington St.,  
San Francisco, California 94108

Major Topics: the history of Chinese in the United States.

Purpose of the program: to collect oral history from the older generation and to entertain the older generation as well as to learn about the history of the Chinese in America.

The program is one year old, ongoing, and is a community project. Funding is provided by foundation grants, the institution, and participants.

About 30 persons have been interviewed, 40 hours of tape, all preserved. Transcribing is still in process. Collection is available to scholars applying in person and agreeing to the regulations established by the institution.

Tapes are in Cantonese, usually Sze-Yap dialect. Transcriptions have been from Chinese to English thus far, but due to the backlog, will be done only in Chinese. Almost all of the work has been done on a voluntary basis by students of various colleges, especially University of California, Berkeley, students.

*CLAREMONT GRADUATE SCHOOL:*

John Niven, Director  
Mrs. Enid H. Douglass, Assistant Director  
Oral History Program  
Harper Hall 155  
Claremont Graduate School  
Claremont, California 91711

Major Topics: China Missionaries; Aviation; California—State and local history, Citrus Industry; Claremont Colleges and Development of the

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Group Plan; Paris Expatriates; Philosophy, Psychology, Education; Literature; Bolsa Chica Gun Club.

Memoirs deserving special mention: Annotated list available upon request.

The program has been in existence nine years; it is part of the history department. Funding is provided by foundation grants.

One hundred thirty persons have been interviewed, 270 hours of tape, all preserved. One hundred forty-two interviews have been transcribed, with seventy-seven in final form. There are 2,997 pages of transcription in final form, plus 1,795 in process. The final copy is edited. The China Missionaries Project has a final index, with a Table of Contents on the others. A master index is planned for the China Missionaries Project. On others, there is a card file cross-referencing major persons. The China Missionary manuscripts are deposited in nine major universities and available at each. The rest are available to scholars applying at the Honnold Library.

Manuscripts are deposited in the Special Collections Room of Honnold Library, jointly serving Claremont Colleges.

See also Los Angeles County Public Library System.

### *FOREST HISTORY SOCIETY, INC.:*

Elwood R. Maunder  
Forest History Oral History Project  
P.O. Box 1581  
Santa Cruz, California 95060

Major Topics: Lumber and Forest Products Industries; Reforestation; North American Conservation History; Forestry; U.S. Forest Service History; European Forest History.

Memoirs deserving special mention: catalog of interviews available upon request.

Purpose of the program: the advancement of general interest and scholarship in various aspects of the history of lumbering and forestry conservation.

The program is sixteen years old, ongoing, administered by the Society, with funds from foundation and government grants and from private sources.

One hundred seventy-five persons interviewed, 600 hours of tape, all preserved. Eighty-three interviews transcribed, 5,100 pages. Final copy edited, with a biographical and topical index. Some interviews are restricted for a time but the vast majority are open for use by anyone. They can be obtained—by sale or loan—directly from the Society.

Excerpts from some interviews have been published in *Forest History*, the Society's Quarterly.

**HOLLYWOOD CENTER FOR THE AUDIO-VISUAL ARTS:**

Clarence Inman  
Hollywood Center for the Audio-Visual Arts  
412 South Parkview  
Los Angeles, California 90057

Major Topics: Motion picture industry, actors, producers, directors.

Memoirs deserving special mention: Walt Disney, Lucille Ball, Rosemary Clooney, Clark Gable.

Purpose: To supplement the collection of films, artifacts and memorabilia.

Program began 8 years ago, ongoing, originally recorded by Hollywood Museum Associates; in 1968 program transferred to Los Angeles City Recreation and Parks Department; funding is by institution.

Four hundred persons interviewed, all tapes preserved, no transcripts, no index. Use restricted.

**IMMACULATE HEART COLLEGE:**

Knox Mellon, Director  
Oral History Project  
Immaculate Heart College  
2021 N. Western Avenue  
Los Angeles, California 90027

Major Topics: Working woman in Southern California, early California Radicals and Utopians, land development in Southern California.

Memoirs deserving special mention: Taped interviews with various early California Socialist Party leaders or persons knowing leaders. Carl Broncer, W. Scott Lewis, Gordon Whitnall, Marvin Sanford.

Purpose of the program: General thrust of program is local political and social history.

The program has been in existence four years, and is part of the history department. Funding is provided by the institution.

There are 140 hours of tape, all preserved, with 32 interviews transcribed. Approximately 15 final copies have been edited. Collection is available to scholars applying in person and agreeing to the regulations established by the institution.

**LONG BEACH PUBLIC LIBRARY:**

Mrs. Roberta Nichols, Director  
Long Beach Public Library Oral History Program  
Long Beach, California 90802

Major Topics: Early day Long Beach: amusement pier; 1933

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earthquake; 1913 Empire Day pier disaster; early aviation; reminiscences about Marilyn Horne.

Purpose of the program: Primarily interviewing old-timers.

The program has been in existence since 1965, is part of the library, and is funded by money provided by the institution.

Approximately 25 persons have been interviewed, for 30-40 hours of tape, all preserved. Four interviews have been transcribed. The final copy is edited and the final index is biographical. Transcripts available to scholars applying in person and agreeing to the regulations established by the institution. The Friends of the Long Beach Public Library intend to help its oral history project.

#### *LOS ANGELES COUNTY PUBLIC LIBRARY SYSTEM:*

Palmer G. Brown, History Evaluation Specialist  
Joint Oral History Project  
P.O. Box 111  
Los Angeles, California 90053

Major Topics: Oral histories of California pioneers, local leaders of the San Gabriel Valley Mexican-American Community.

Purpose of the program: A joint effort in preserving the past and present through participation in the development of and financing of oral histories with Claremont University Center.

In existence two years, ongoing, part of the library; joint project with Claremont Colleges, funded by the institution.

Nine persons interviewed, 60-100 hours of tape, sample portions preserved, eight interviews transcribed for over 300 pages. Final copy is edited, no final index. There is a master index. Use restricted--may be read, quoted from, and cited by research scholars, but may not be reproduced in any form.

Project operated in co-operation with Claremont Colleges.

#### *LOS ANGELES PSYCHOANALYTIC SOCIETY:*

Albert Kandelin, M.D.  
Los Angeles Psychoanalytic Society  
9735 Wilshire Blvd.  
Beverly Hills, California 90212

Major Topics: The development of psychoanalytic practice and institutions in California.

Memoirs deserving special mention: Pioneer members of the Society.

Purpose of the program: The preservation and study of the history and development of psychoanalytic practice in California.



The program has been in existence six years and is administered by the Society History Committee. Funding is provided by the institution.

Twelve persons have been interviewed for 30 hours of tape, all preserved. Twenty-four interviews have been transcribed, 450 pages. The final copy has been edited. The collection is available to scholars applying in person and agreeing to the regulations established by the institution.

**MILL VALLEY PUBLIC LIBRARY:**

Ralph Moreno  
Reference Librarian, Oral History Project  
Mill Valley Library Association  
375 Throckmorton Ave.  
Mill Valley, California 94941

Major Topics: interviews about Mill Valley, with emphasis on the early days of the town.

Purpose of the program: to preserve the memoirs of Mill Valley residents for future generations.

The program is over a year old, and is a project of the Library Association (formerly "Friends of the Library"). Funding is provided by the membership of the Library Association.

Twelve persons have been interviewed, 12 hours of tape, all preserved. Twelve interviews have been transcribed, about 180 pages; indexed. Final copy is edited, and the Library card catalog contains the names of all persons interviewed. The collection is available through inter-library loan, and research and reproduction services can be arranged for persons unable to come to the institution. Also available to scholars applying in person and agreeing to the regulations established by the institution.

**ORANGE PUBLIC LIBRARY:**

Milan Pavlovich  
Orange Public Library  
101 N. Center Street  
Orange, California 92600

Major Topics: social, economic, political history of the city of Orange 1895-1930.

The program is ongoing, part of the library, with funds provided by the institution.

Twenty persons interviewed, 30 hours of tape, all preserved. The collection is available to scholars applying in person and agreeing to the regulations established by the institution.

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Copies of tapes are on deposit both at the Orange Public Library and the California State College at Fullerton Library.

### *SAN FRANCISCO MARITIME MUSEUM:*

Karl Kortum, Director  
San Francisco Maritime Museum  
At the foot of Polk Street  
San Francisco, California 94109

Major Topics: Life on shipboard, social conditions in various ports (i.e. sailor boarding houses, crimps, prostitutes), sailor language, relations between officers and crew, economics, personalities, maritime anecdotes.

Memoirs deserving special mention: The longest interview is with Bert Worder of Redwood City, detailing a boy's life in a small town on the shore of San Francisco Bay with sections on shipping in the boiler room of a German tramp steamer to South America and another valuable section on sailing to Alaska in the *Star of Bengal*, and the fishing industry there. The institution has an extensive interview with the last of the pre-1900 steam schooner captains.

The program has been in existence fifteen years, is ongoing.

Approximately fifty persons have been interviewed. All tapes are preserved. None transcribed.

### *KZSU (STANFORD STUDENT RADIO STATION):*

Library of Recorded Sound  
Stanford University  
Stanford, California 94305

Major Topic and Purpose: to record information on the civil rights movement.

Memoirs deserving special mention: interviews with white civil rights workers, local Blacks; "action tapes" of civil rights workers canvassing voters, conducting freedom schools or participating in demonstrations; mass meetings.

Program lasted 10 weeks during summer of 1965; sponsored by KZSU; funds for transcribing provided by Library and Institute of American History at Stanford; guide to collection is available.

Interviewers visited over 50 civil rights projects in six states; over 200 hours of personal interviews, mostly transcribed, approximately 2,500 pages, all tapes preserved. Collection is available to scholars agreeing to the regulations established by the institution.

*UNIVERSITY OF CALIFORNIA, BERKELEY:*

Willa K. Baum, Director  
Regional Oral History Office  
486 Bancroft Library  
University of California  
Berkeley, California 94720

Major Topics: University of California History, Books and Printing in the San Francisco Bay Area; Art, Photography, and Architecture in the San Francisco Bay Area; History of Forest Policy, 1900-1950 (Resources for the Future Series), Forestry in the West (Forest History Society Series), Conservation: State and National Parks, Law Politics and Public Administration, California Russian Emigre Series, Social History of Northern California, California Wine Industry History Series, Earl Warren Era, 1925-1953, San Francisco Bay Maritime History, Northern California Jewish Community Series, Water Resources: Irrigation Agriculture—Series 1, State Development of Water—Series 2, Sanitary Engineering—Series 3.

Memoirs deserving special mention: A catalog is available. Most interviews are done in conjunction with a subject series.

Purpose of the program: To tape record the memoirs of persons who have contributed significantly to the development of the West of the United States.

The program has been in existence sixteen years, is ongoing, and is part of the Bancroft Library, a manuscript and special collections library. Funding is provided by foundation grants, government grants, private donations and the institution.

Two hundred and fifteen persons have been interviewed, with large portions of the tapes preserved. All have been transcribed, 30,336 pages. The final copy is edited and the final index is biographical and topical with a master index to the collection. Collection is available to scholars applying in person and agreeing to the regulations established by the institution. Copies of interviews available to other manuscript depositories with permission of interviewee.

A Donated Tapes Collection is maintained wherein tapes of historical value are accessioned from donors, briefly indexed and made available for scholarly research. These tapes are not transcribed.

See also Western Jewish History Center.

*UNIVERSITY OF CALIFORNIA , LOS ANGELES:*

James V. Mink, Director  
UCLA Oral History Program  
138 Powell Library Building  
405 Hilgard Avenue  
Los Angeles, California 90024

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Major Topics: Regional and state history, included in the following series: Biographical; Education; Fine Arts; Government and Politics; Motion Pictures; Printing and the Booktrade; State and Local History; Water Resources; and the University of California History.

Memoirs deserving special mention: A Bibliography of the Program is available from Gifts and Exchange section of the UCLA Research Library for \$1.00.

Purpose of the program: To supplement the research resources of the University library.

The program has been in existence eleven years, and is ongoing. It operates as part of the library with funding provided by the institution and government grants.

One hundred thirty-seven persons have been interviewed for 1,500 hours of tape, all preserved, since 1966. One hundred twenty-nine interviews have been transcribed; approximately 25,000 pages of manuscript have been deposited. The final copy is edited and indexed. Certain interviews are restricted; the rest of the collection is available to scholars applying in person and agreeing to the regulations established by the institution.

The Program is in the process of arranging to make interviews available to libraries of various institutions who may wish to purchase them, provided the individual interviewed gives his permission to release the interview.

### *UNIVERSITY OF CALIFORNIA, SAN FRANCISCO:*

Nancy W. Zinn,  
History Collection, Library  
University of California, San Francisco  
San Francisco, California 94122

Major Topics: Biographical memoirs of faculty members, health sciences.

Purpose of the program: To record information about the development of the various disciplines on this campus over the years.

The program has been in existence six years and is part of the library.

Forty-five persons have been interviewed for seventy-five hours of tape, all preserved. The collection is available to scholars applying in person and agreeing to the regulations established by the institution.

### *UNIVERSITY OF CALIFORNIA, SANTA BARBARA:*

Gibbs M. Smith, Director  
Oral History Section

*California 19*

Department of Special Collections  
Library  
University of California  
Santa Barbara, California 93017

Major Topics: Santa Barbara region—government, economic, sociological cultural aspects; Campus history of UCSB; notable individuals now living in the Santa Barbara area.

Memoirs deserving special mention: Pearl Chase Memoir—covering Miss Chase's activity and interest in community action.

Purpose of the program: To develop an oral history archive to help preserve the history of the Santa Barbara region and to provide materials of use to scholars.

The program has been in existence one year, is ongoing, and is part of the library. Funding is provided by the institution.

Three persons have been interviewed for 30 hours of tape, all preserved. Three interviews have been transcribed for seventy pages. The collection is available to scholars applying in person and agreeing to the regulations established by the institution.

*UNIVERSITY OF CALIFORNIA, SANTA CRUZ:*

Elizabeth Spedding Calciano  
Regional History Project  
University Library  
University of California, Santa Cruz  
Santa Cruz, California 95060

Major Topics: economic and social history of the Central California coast area with emphasis on Santa Cruz County; history of the University at Santa Cruz, and the Lick Observatory.

Memoirs deserving special mention: An annotated bibliography is available on request.

Purpose of the program: to help preserve the history of the central California coast area and to record the growth and development of a new university campus.

The program is seven years old, ongoing, and is part of the library. Funding is provided by the institution.

Forty-one persons have been interviewed, 140 hours of tape, all preserved since 1964. All interviews have been transcribed, 4,500 pages. Final copy is edited and indexed topically. There is a master index cross-referencing the entire collection. No part of any manuscript may be quoted for publication without the written permission of the University Librarian. Some sections have been sealed by the interviewees until specified dates. With these provisions, the material is available. Xerox copies of the manuscripts will be made on request for educational or research institutions for the cost of reproduction.

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### *UNIVERSITY OF SOUTHERN CALIFORNIA:*

Robert Knutson, Director  
Living History Program  
University Library  
University Park  
Los Angeles, California 90007

Major Topics: Literature, cinema, and aeronautical history.

The program has been in existence nine years, is ongoing and is part of the library. Funding is provided by the institution.

Fifty-six persons have been interviewed with sample portions of tape preserved and 1,200 pages transcribed. Final copy is edited and indexed; no master index to the collection. Collection available to scholars applying in person and agreeing to the regulations established by the institution.

### *WESTERN JEWISH HISTORY CENTER:*

Dr. Moses Rischin, Director  
Northern California Jewish Community Series  
2911 Russell Street  
Berkeley, California 94705

Major Topics: Autobiographies of outstanding Jews of Northern California—pioneer families, community, religion and institutional leaders.

Purpose of the program: Scholarly research—deposit in Western Jewish History Center, Bancroft Library and approved manuscript repositories throughout the country.

The program has been in existence three years, is ongoing, in conjunction with the Regional Oral History Office of the Bancroft Library at the University of California.

Two persons have been interviewed and two interviews have been transcribed. All tapes are preserved. Collection available to scholars applying in person and agreeing to the regulations established by the institution.

### *WHITTIER COLLEGE:*

The Nixon Oral History Project  
Whittier College  
Whittier, California 90600

Major Topic: The life of Richard M. Nixon.

Purpose of the program: To examine Nixon years to the Vice Presidency.

The program began in 1970 and is autonomous. Funding is provided by Foundation grants and Whittier College.

## COLORADO

### DENVER PUBLIC LIBRARY:

Miss Kay Collins  
Conservation Specialist, Conservation Library Center  
Denver Public Library  
1357 Broadway  
Denver, Colorado 80203

Major Topics: History of Conservation.

Memoirs deserving special mention: Forest Service old-timers, Arthur H. Carhart.

Purpose of the program: to preserve the history of the conservation movement.

The program began in 1962, is ongoing and is part of the library. Funding is provided by foundation grants and government agencies. Most done in cooperation with government agencies; foundation grants enable library staff to handle the program.

One hundred fifty persons have been interviewed, 200 hours of tape, all preserved in duplicate. Interviews are not transcribed but the tapes are indexed, biographically and topically. Transcriptions of National Park Service tapes are on file. Reproduction and research services can be arranged for persons unable to come to the institution. Collection available to scholars applying in person and agreeing to the regulations established by the institution.

A project to be undertaken soon is in cooperation with the Bureau of Land Management.

### METROPOLITAN STATE COLLEGE:

Stephen J. Leonard, Director  
Center for Urban History  
250 West 14th Avenue  
Denver, Colorado 80204

Major Topics: Ethnic, Hispanic and Black history; Colorado and Denver local history.

Purpose of the program: To collect information pertaining to the growth and development of Denver.

The program has been in existence two years, is ongoing and is part of the history department. Funding is provided by the institution.

Twenty-five persons have been interviewed for ten hours of tape, some preserved. Twenty interviews have been transcribed for 50 pages. Transcripts available through inter-library loan.

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An effort is being made to record life stories of people of varied ethnic background, in particular Black and Chicano.

### *STATE HISTORICAL SOCIETY OF COLORADO LIBRARY:*

E. Thompson  
Colorado State Museum  
200 Fourteenth Avenue  
Denver, Colorado 80203

Major Topic: Colorado history.

Memoirs deserving special attention: Farrington Carpenter.

Purpose of the program: to collect reminiscences, folklore, and observations.

The program is thirteen years old, ongoing, administered by the library with State funds and foundation money.

One hundred seventy-five persons interviewed, 260 hours of tape, all preserved. Twenty-five interviews transcribed. The final copy is edited. Research and reproduction services can be arranged for persons unable to come to the institution.

### *UNITED STATES AIR FORCE ACADEMY:*

Lt. Col. Robert M. Burch, Director  
Oral History  
Department of History  
USAF Academy  
Colorado 80840

Major Topics: U.S. Air Force history and the founding of the Air Force Academy.

Purpose of the program: (1) Generate audiovisual material for military history courses. (2) Collect previously unrecorded military aviation data for use by students and historians. (3) Provide oral memoirs by persons who made and shaped Air Force history.

The program has been in existence three years, is ongoing and is funded by the institution.

Twenty-one persons have been interviewed for 50 hours of tape, all preserved. Two interviews have been completely transcribed with ten in the pre-final stage, for 500 pages. The final copy is edited. Research and reproduction services available to those unable to come to the institution. Collection also available to scholars applying in person and agreeing to the regulations of the institution. Some transcripts are restricted.

Transcription is done by the Oral History Research Office, Columbia University, where copies are deposited also.



## CONNECTICUT

### *HALL-BROOKE HOSPITAL:*

Leo H. Berman, Director  
Oral History Project of the History of Psychiatry in Conn.  
Hall-Brooke Hospital  
Westport, Connecticut 06880

Memoirs deserving special mention: Interviews with early practitioners of psychiatry in Connecticut, plus others who have played an important part, such as the chairman of the Department of Psychiatry of Yale Medical School.

Purpose of the program: To interview those who have played a major role in the development of psychiatry in Connecticut.

The program has been in existence five years, is ongoing and is primarily for personal research of Dr. Berman. Funding is provided by Dr. Berman.

Six persons have been interviewed for 12 hours of tape. Two interviews have been transcribed for approximately 200 pages. Plan to make duplicate tapes for the American Psychiatric Association and State Oral History projects.

The tapes belong to Dr. Berman. He has also interviewed a number of founders of the American Academy of Psychoanalysis. None of these tapes has been transcribed.

### *UNIVERSITY OF BRIDGEPORT:*

Oral History Research Project  
10 Stamford Hall  
University of Bridgeport  
Bridgeport, Connecticut 06602

Major Topics: Jasper McLevy and the Bridgeport Socialist Party; the Kennedy Image in India.

Memoirs deserving special mention: Norman Thomas and relations with Bridgeport Socialists.

Purpose of the program: To collect source materials for primary research.

The program has been in existence three years, is a continuing project and is part of the history department. Funding is provided by the institution.

Forty-five persons have been interviewed for 50 hours of tape, all preserved. Fifteen interviews have been transcribed, approximately 300 pages. Final copy is partially edited and the final index is topical.

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Collection available to scholars applying in person and agreeing to the regulations established by the institution.

A study of Bridgeport Black community is planned.

#### *UNIVERSITY OF CONNECTICUT:*

Morton J. Tenzer, Director  
Oral History Project  
Box U-106  
University of Connecticut  
Storrs, Connecticut 06268

Major Topics: State Government and politics; labor; university history.

Purpose of the program: To obtain archival materials from persons who have made significant contributions to Connecticut society and history.

The program has been in existence since mid-1968, is ongoing and is autonomous. Funding is provided by the institution.

Fourteen persons have been interviewed, 70 hours of tape; the final decision on the disposition of the tapes has not been made. Thirty-seven tapes have been transcribed. Final copy index is biographical and topical. Restrictions for scholarly use are those set by the interviewees.

#### *YALE UNIVERSITY:*

Vivian Perlis, Director  
Charles Ives Project  
Music Library  
98 Wall Street  
New Haven, Connecticut 06520

Memoirs deserving special mention: Only those persons important in the life of Charles Ives have been interviewed to date. Among these are other important American composers.

Purpose of the program: To interview everyone still alive who knew Ives and was important in his business, personal, or musical life.

The program has been in existence two years, is ongoing, and is part of the library. Funding provided by a National Endowment for the Humanities Grant and by the institution.

Thirty-nine persons have been interviewed, 38 hours of tape, all preserved. Twenty-eight interviews are transcribed. Provisions for scholarly use are undetermined until after completion of the project.

A series of interviews with living composers has been started, financed jointly by Yale University and the Columbia Broadcasting Company. Yale

retains ownership of the material; CBS has limited commercial rights for use in an Ives album. Further funding is pending in order to finish the project.

## **DELAWARE**

### ***THE HAGLEY MUSEUM:***

Norman B. Wilkinson  
Director, Hagley Museum Oral History Program  
Eleutherian Mills-Hagley Foundation, Inc.  
Greenville, Delaware 19807

Major Topics: industrial, economic, and technological developments of the region; labor relations, transportation, social, and cultural life of the industrial communities of the region during the nineteenth and early twentieth centuries.

Purpose of the program: to supplement manuscript and published materials with the first-hand recollections of persons who worked and lived in the lower Brandywine Valley-Wilmington region.

The program is 15 years old, ongoing, and part of a research program administered by the Hagley Museum. Funding is provided by the foundation.

Ninety persons have been interviewed, 400 hours of tape, all preserved. Eighty-eight interviews have been transcribed, 3,400 pages. Final copy is edited with a table of contents, no master index. The collection is available to scholars applying in person and agreeing to the regulations governing their use as established by the Foundation.

### ***UNIVERSITY OF DELAWARE***

John A. Munroe  
Department of History  
University of Delaware  
127 Memorial Hall  
Newark, Delaware 19711

Major Topics: Delaware public officials, teachers, elderly immigrants, former participants in University foreign study program.

Purpose of the program: to get elderly peoples' reminiscences recorded.

The program is four years old, ongoing, administered by the institution with funds provided by individual donations.

Sixty persons have been interviewed, 60 hours of tape, all preserved. Twenty interviews transcribed. The final copy is edited. The collection is

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available to scholars applying under the regulations established by the institution.

Most of the interviewers have been high school teachers or young housewives with academic experience.

**DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA**

*AMERICAN PSYCHIATRIC ASSOCIATION:*

Mrs. Jean C. Jones  
Librarian, American Psychiatric Association  
1700 Eighteenth St., N.W.  
Washington, D.C. 20009

Major Topics: History of psychiatry; individual psychiatrists and other leaders in the behavioral sciences.

Memoirs deserving special mention: Dexter Bullard, M.D., autobiography; Charlotte Buhler, child psychologist; Leo Bartemeier, M.D., former president, APA.

Purpose of the program: to preserve the voice and personality of leaders in the field, as well as to collect information about the history of psychiatry as they have experienced it.

The program is five years old, ongoing, and is part of the library. Funding is provided by the institution and by volunteers.

Twenty-four persons have been interviewed, tapes preserved. Fifteen interviews have been transcribed. Collection is available to scholars applying in person and agreeing to the regulations established by the institution.

*ARCHIVES OF AMERICAN ART, SMITHSONIAN INSTITUTION:*

William E. Woolfenden, Director  
Archives of American Art, Smithsonian Institution  
NCFA/NPG Building  
Washington, D.C. 20560

Major Topics: Interviews with persons connected with the visual arts in America—artists, collectors, dealers, museum personnel.

Purpose of the program: Part of the Archives program of documenting the arts of the United States.

The program has been in existence sixteen years, and is funded by foundation grants and money provided by the institution.

One thousand two hundred persons have been interviewed, approximately 3,400 hours of tape, all preserved, 1,000 interviews

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transcribed, no final index. Transcripts must be read in one of the Archives offices with permission of the interviewee or the heirs.  
Archives has offices also in New York and Detroit.

***BUSINESS AND PROFESSIONAL WOMEN'S FOUNDATION:***

Jeanne Spiegel, Director  
Business and Professional Women's Foundation  
2012 Massachusetts Avenue, N.W.  
Washington, D.C. 20036

Major Topics: Status of Women and history of the National Federation of Business and Professional Women's Clubs, Inc.

Memoirs deserving special mention: Women involved in movements from 1919 to the present.

Purpose of the program: To present a picture of the status of women.

The program has been in existence four years, is ongoing, autonomous, and funded by money provided by the institution.

Thirty-eight persons have been interviewed. The exact number of tape hours is not known as much of the collection includes speeches and discussions. Twenty interviews transcribed, no final index but all are catalogued, final copy is edited, and there is a master index to the collection. Collection available to scholars applying in person and agreeing to the regulations established by the institution.

***THE CIVIL RIGHTS DOCUMENTATION PROJECT:***

Vincent J. Browne, Director  
The Civil Rights Documentation Project  
1527 New Hampshire Ave., N.W.  
Washington, D.C. 20036

Major Topics: Civil rights movement in the United States.

Purpose of the program: To tape-record and transcribe interviews with persons significantly involved in civil rights activities and to collect unpublished written materials.

The program has been in existence four years, is ongoing, foundation sponsored and funded by foundation grants.

Six hundred fifty persons have been interviewed, 1,500 hours of tape, all preserved, 370 interviews transcribed, 17,500 pages. Final copy is edited, final index is biographical, no master index to the collection. Entire collection will be available, according to the terms specified by each interviewee, at an institution yet to be determined.

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*GEORGE WASHINGTON UNIVERSITY:*

Dr. Ruth H. Osborn, Director  
Oral History Project  
Continuing Education for Women  
2029 K Street, N.W.  
Washington D.C. 20006

Major Topic: organization and development of Continuing Education for Women Program at George Washington; philosophy and rationale for program; case histories of graduates.

Program has been in existence a year, is ongoing, part of the Department of Continuing Education for Women, funded by the institution.

Twenty persons have been interviewed, one interview transcribed; final copy edited, master index. All tapes preserved.

Survey course in oral history offered, 1971.

*HERBERT HOOVER ORAL HISTORY PROGRAM:*

Raymond Henle, Director  
Herbert Hoover Oral History Program  
1500 Massachusetts Avenue, N.W.  
Suite 840  
Washington D.C. 20005

Major Topic: Recollections of Herbert Hoover.

Purpose of the program: To fortify and add to the collection of Hoover materials in the Presidential Library, West Branch, Iowa, and Hoover Institution, Stanford University, California.

The program has been in existence four years, is ongoing, autonomous, funded by foundation grants, and donations.

Three hundred and fifty-eight persons have been interviewed, 400 hours of tape. Decision pending on disposition of tapes. Final copy will be edited and indexed. There is no master index to the collection. Material is copyrighted; freely available for study, except small restricted portions.

*HOWARD UNIVERSITY:*

Elsie M. Lewis  
Howard University  
Department of History  
Washington D.C. 20001

Major Topics: Marriage customs; ceremonies upon death; birth of sons.

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Purpose of the program: To build a collection on Black African tribal customs.

Program has been in existence since the fall of 1968. Students from West and East Africa have been interviewed on tribal customs; plans are to edit and eventually to publish material.

**McCARTHY HISTORICAL PROJECT:**

Georgetown University  
Library  
Special Collections  
37th and O Streets N.W.  
Washington D.C. 20007

Major Topics: activities of individuals involved in the McCarthy primary campaign of 1968 as workers, observers, financial supporters, opponents.

Purpose of the program: to supplement the physical records of the Campaign which have also been accumulated, to explore the motivations and conclusions of the campaign workers and others involved in the campaign.

The program is three years old, ongoing, autonomous, with funds provided by individual donations.

Six hundred fifty persons interviewed, 750 hours of tape; after the first 60 all are being preserved. Over 200 interviews transcribed.

Final copy is to be indexed, both biographically and topically. It has been edited and there is a master index to the collection.

There is a representative assortment of interviews with the local and national campaign leaders in each primary state, loyal volunteers, students who traveled to canvass, leaders of the Dump Johnson movement, anti-war organization leaders, the Senate office personnel, national organization staff members, entertainment world figures, and media observers of the campaign. Collection is open for scholarly use.

**NATIONAL AERONAUTICS AND SPACE ADMINISTRATION:**

Eugene M. Emme, Director  
NASA Historical Program  
Headquarters NASA  
Washington D.C. 20546

Memoirs deserving special mention: NASA Oral History Collection will largely be of interest to scholars ten or more years from now, after personal sensitivities cool and the official histories have been written.

Purpose of the program: To supplement historical research on U.S. Space Program matters not documentable otherwise for program, center, management, and over-all agency histories.

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In existence for eleven years, ongoing, part of the history department, funded by the government except for tapes which are provided by academic scholars.

Over 375 persons interviewed, over 1,200 hours of tape, all preserved. Twenty per cent of interviews transcribed, no final or master index, final copy edited. Most tapes reserved for official historical projects at this time. Personal permission of interviewee required for other access.

Tapes of pre-NASA individuals associated with aeronautics, rocketry and space have been provided to the National Air and Space Museum, Smithsonian Institution, for general use. Interviews conducted for the John F. Kennedy Library: transcripts were transmitted but NASA retained tapes. Upon occasion, private scholar has made available interviews of NASA persons once his project is completed. All retain interviewee access clearance.

#### *SMITHSONIAN INSTITUTION:*

E.W. Robischon, Director  
Oral History Project, National Air and Space Museum  
Washington, D.C. 20560

Major Topics: Memoirs pertaining to the history of air and space and technology.

Memoirs deserving special mention: Donald W. Douglas; Reuben Fleet; John K. Northrop; John L. Atwood.

Purpose of the program: To record the voices and memories of persons who participated in the development of air and space industry and technology.

The program has been in existence two years, is ongoing and is part of the library. Funding is provided by the institution and small donations.

Ten persons have been interviewed for 20 hours of tape, all preserved. One interview has been transcribed for 117 pages. A few individuals have placed restrictions on interviews pending publication of histories or biographies.

#### *UNITED STATES MARINE CORPS:*

Benis M. Frank, Director  
Marine Corps Oral History Program  
Headquarters, U.S. Marine Corps  
Washington, D.C. 20380

Major Topic: Marine Corps history.



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Purpose of the program: To obtain personal narratives concerning noteworthy professional experiences and observations from active duty, reserve, and retired Marines.

The program has been in existence five years, is ongoing, and is part of the Historical Branch, G-3 Division, Headquarters Marine Corps. Funding is provided by the Marine Corps Fiscal Budget.

A total of 4,690 active duty Marines and 71 retired Marines have been interviewed. There are 566 hours of tape by the retired Marines, an unknown number by active duty Marines. Sixty-two interviews of the retired officers have been transcribed, for 13,367 pages. Final copy is edited. Final copy of retired Marine interviews has been indexed. All tapes are preserved. There is a master index to the collection. Tapes and transcripts of interviews with retired Marines are available for use under restrictions imposed by interviewee; classified and unclassified interviews with active duty Marines are available only to Marine Corps organizations, other Services, and individuals holding security clearances and having a demonstrated "need-to-know."

Oral History Research Office, Columbia University, has transcribed memoirs of retired Marine Corps officers. Copies of these transcripts are deposited also at Columbia University and U.S. Naval Institute under same restrictions.

*WASHINGTON HOSPITAL CENTER:*

Jane M. Fulcher, Director  
Medical Library  
Room 2A-21  
110 Irving Street N.W., Washington, D.C. 20010

Major Topics: History of the Center.

Purpose of the program: To collect information and anecdotes which could be used for writing the history of the center.

In existence seven years, ongoing, part of the library, funded by government grants and money provided by the institution.

Eight persons interviewed, 10 hours of tape, all preserved, eight interviews transcribed, 137 pages. Final copy not edited, no final index or master index. Collection available to scholars applying in person and agreeing to the regulations established by the institution.

*WASHINGTON SCHOOL OF PSYCHIATRY:*

Robert N. Butler  
Memoirs  
Washington School of Psychiatry  
1610 New Hampshire Ave. N.W., Washington, D.C.

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Major topics: creativity, gerontology.

Purpose of the program: to study creativity and the history of gerontology.

The program is eight years old, ongoing, and is autonomous. Funding is provided by the institution.

Thirty persons have been interviewed, 100 hours of tape. Final copy is edited. Tape is preserved. Although the use of the collection is restricted, it is available to scholars applying in person and agreeing to the regulations established by the institution.

## **FLORIDA**

### ***DERMATOLOGY FOUNDATION OF MIAMI:***

Victor H. Witten M.D., Director  
Taped Autobiographical Interviews  
Tape Studio and Library  
480 Casuarina Concourse  
Coral Gables, Florida 33143

Major Topics: Personally taped interviews with leading dermatologists both here and abroad.

Memoirs deserving special mention: Several outstanding dermatologists with worldwide reputations.

Purpose of the program: To have an "aural" history of the concepts, philosophies, and personal experiences of leading dermatologists.

In existence ten years, ongoing, autonomous, funded by small donations.

One hundred seventy-five persons interviewed, 177 hours of tape, all preserved, thirty interviews transcribed, approximately 500 pages. Final index is biographical, no master index. Use presently restricted.

All tapes are copied and stored under temperature-and-humidity-controlled conditions. Tapes have been used for playback to special audiences so that the voices of the interviewees and the manner in which they express their concepts may be heard.

### ***FLORIDA STATE UNIVERSITY:***

Edward F. Keuchel, Director  
Florida State University Program in Oral History  
425 Bellamy Bldg.  
Tallahassee, Florida 32306

Major Topics: Development of North Florida and Tallahassee.

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The program began in 1970, is ongoing, part of the history department, funding provided by the institution.

Fifteen persons interviewed, 20 hours of tape, all preserved, 14 interviews transcribed. Final copy is edited, final index biographical, no master index. Collection available to scholars applying in person and agreeing to the regulations established by the institution.

#### **UNIVERSITY OF FLORIDA:**

Dr. Samuel Procter, Director  
Oral History Program  
Library West, 4th Floor  
University of Florida,  
Gainesville, Florida 32601

Major Topics: Florida Indians (Seminole Project); Florida political history, University of Florida.

Purpose of the program: to make material available for research. The program has been in existence three years, is ongoing, sponsored by the history department and the library. Funding is provided by the institution and by foundation grants.

About 60 persons have been interviewed to date for approximately 200 hours, all transcribed, 2,400 pages. Only a small percentage has been edited and indexed as yet; index will be both biographical and topical; no master index. All tapes are preserved.

Collection is available to scholars applying in person and agreeing to the regulations established by the institution.

Indian project is part of Duke Indian Oral History program—See University of Utah.

### **GEORGIA**

#### **EMORY UNIVERSITY:**

James Harvey Young, Director  
Emory University  
Atlanta, Georgia 30322

Major Topic: Food and drug regulation.

Purpose of the program: To acquire information from those associated with food and drug regulation in the United States.

In existence three years, ongoing, autonomous, funded by the National Library of Medicine.

Ten persons interviewed, over 50 hours of tape, preserved at the

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National Library of Medicine. Three interviews transcribed, 150 pages. Final index—biographical and topical, no master index. Some tape transcripts have restrictions placed upon them by the interviewee, rest available in accordance with regulations established by the institution.

The project is funded by the National Library of Medicine, by contract with Emory University.

Copy of transcripts at each institution.

#### *MARTIN LUTHER KING LIBRARY DOCUMENTATION PROJECT:*

Mr. W.L. Harriford, Jr.  
Director, Martin Luther King Center  
671 Beckwith Street, S.W.  
Atlanta, Georgia 30314

Major Topic: Recollections of Dr. Martin Luther King and the Civil Rights Movement.

The program has been in existence a year and is ongoing. Interviews have been held with members of the family, the church, SCLC, school and college classmates and faculty, and civil rights leaders. Funding is provided by the institution.

Approximately thirty persons have been interviewed for about 60 hours of tape, all preserved, none transcribed. Use is restricted at present.

#### *SOUTHERN HIGHLANDS LITERARY FUND, INC.:*

B. Eliot Wigginton, President  
*Foxfire* Magazine  
Rabun Gap, Georgia 30568

Major Topics: Folklore, wisdom and philosophy, life of the early mountain family.

Purpose of the program: To bridge the gaps and understand certain cultures. To give high school students an opportunity to achieve rapport with their own roots, traditions and environment.

In existence four years, ongoing, autonomous, funded by foundation grants, government grants, private donations, subscriptions.

Over 400 persons interviewed, over 500 hours of tape, all preserved, almost all interviews transcribed. Those printed in *Foxfire* are edited; no final or master index. Collection available to scholars applying in person and agreeing to the rules established by the institution. No interlibrary loans.

*Foxfire* Magazine prints the edited transcripts of the interviews collected by this project. Brochures available upon request.

## **HAWAII**

### **UNIVERSITY OF HAWAII:**

Edward D. Beechert, Director  
Pacific Region Oral History  
Department of History  
2550 Campus Road  
Honolulu, Hawaii 96822

Major Topics: Labor history of Hawaii, development of statehood, and social history of Japanese and Filipinos in Hawaii.

Memoirs deserving special mention: Clarence Smith, 35 years in China as Standard Oil manager; Senator W.H. Hill, 39 years in the Territorial Legislature; development of ILWU and plantation labor; developing Ethnic Studies Program, separate from Oral History, began collecting interviews in 1970.

Purpose of the program: The collection of primary source materials on the development of the labor movement in Hawaii, the social evolution of a multi-racial society in Hawaii, and the development of Pacific Island regions.

In existence two years, ongoing, part of the history department, money provided by the institution.

Forty-two persons interviewed, over 100 hours of tape, all preserved. Interviews are transcribed as soon as possible. Final copy is edited in some cases. Interviews with rank and file union members are usually not submitted for editing and approval. Permission required for some labor union materials. Catalogue in preparation.

## **IDAHO**

### **IDAHO STATE HISTORICAL SOCIETY:**

Mrs. Robert Alexander  
Idaho Historical Auxiliary Oral History Program  
610 North Julia Davis Dr.  
Boise, Idaho 83706

Major Topics: interviews of older, long-time residents of the area.

Purpose of the program: through an investigation of entertaining stories related by old timers, this program studies an interesting aspect of contemporary culture; tradition of life in a bygone era.

The program is two years old and ongoing.

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**RICKS COLLEGE:**

Jerry L. Glenn  
Director, Oral History Program  
David O. McKay Library  
Ricks College  
Rexburg, Idaho 83440

Major Topics: History of Southeastern Idaho and Western Wyoming.

Purpose of the program: to collect the history of pioneers still residing in Eastern Idaho and Western Wyoming.

The program is one and a half years old, ongoing, and administered by the library and the local History Association. Funding is provided by individual donations.

One hundred fifteen persons have been interviewed, 130 hours of tape, all preserved. The collection is available through inter-library loan, and to scholars applying in person and agreeing to the regulations established by the institution. Research and reproduction services are available.

**UNIVERSITY OF IDAHO:**

Mr. Charles Webbert  
University of Idaho  
Department of History  
Moscow, Idaho 83843

Major Topics: Personal reminiscences of old times in this area, from politics to stage coach driving.

The program was in existence approximately ten years, is now completed. It was autonomous, with funds provided by the institution. This program was a personal project of S.B. Rolland, supported by the late D.R. Theophilus, President of the University of Idaho.

Twelve to fifteen persons interviewed, 30 hours of tape, all preserved. Approximately 15 interviews transcribed. Contact Mr. Webbert, Special Collections Library for provisions for scholarly use.

**ILLINOIS**

**AMERICAN MEDICAL ASSOCIATION:**

Warren Albert, Associate Director  
Archive Library  
American Medical Association  
535 North Dearborn Street  
Chicago, Illinois 60610

Major Topics: Organized medicine.

Purpose of the program: To augment the written record of the Association; to preserve for future internal and external use primary documentation of the Association's views on issues of concern to organized medicine.

In existence for four years, ongoing, part of the library, funds provided by the Association.

Six persons interviewed, 5½ hours of tape, no interviews transcribed. Use restricted.

In the Archive Collection are about 400 hours of tape recorded interviews with a variety of persons. Some of these tapes are copies of disc recordings released for radio use in the late '40's and early '50's. These have not been transcribed, nor is the full import of these conversations known at present.

#### **CHICAGO STATE COLLEGE:**

Thomas A. DePasquale, Director  
Oral History Research Office  
6800 S. Stewart  
Chicago, Illinois 60621

Major Topics: Chicago State College, City of Chicago.

Memoirs deserving special mention: Key members of Chicago Police Department and people living in the Black ghettos.

The program has been in existence four years, is ongoing, and is part of the history department. Funding is provided by the institution.

Seventy persons have been interviewed for 225 hours of tape, all preserved. Fifty-five interviews have been transcribed for approximately 6,000 pages. Final copy is indexed and edited with a master index to the collection. Collection is available to scholars applying in person and agreeing to the regulations established by the institution.

#### **ELMHURST HISTORICAL COMMISSION:**

Ruth Strand, Director  
Elmhurst Historical Commission  
107 Fellows Ct.  
Wilder Park, Elmhurst, Illinois 60126

Major Topics: Local history.

Memoirs deserving special mention: Program is new. First interview was with the granddaughter of the founder of Elmhurst.

One person interviewed, two hours of tape, preserved; one interview transcribed, 19 pages. Final copy is edited, final index—biographical and topical, master index is planned. Research and reproduction services can be arranged for persons unable to come to the institution.

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#### *FIELD ENTERPRISES, INC.:*

Herman Kogan  
Chicago Sun-Times  
401 N. Wabash Ave.  
Chicago, Illinois 60611

Major Topics: interviews with past and present executives and employees of Field Enterprises, especially its newspaper division.

Purpose of the program: to establish source materials for company and for use of scholars and writers in the fields of communications, journalism, social service, philanthropy, etc.

The program is one year old, ongoing, administered and funded by the institution.

Six persons interviewed, 18 hours of tape, all preserved. Six interviews transcribed, 200 pages. No provisions for scholarly use have been made as yet.

#### *ILLINOIS STATE HISTORICAL LIBRARY:*

Oral History Project  
Illinois State Historical Library  
Old State Capitol  
Springfield, Illinois 62706

Major Topics: prominent Illinois persons.

Memoirs deserving special mention: Jesse Owens giving special material on early life and his participation in the Olympics (8 hours.)

The program, in existence for two years, is now completed. It was administered by the institution, with funding from individual donations.

Seven persons interviewed, 42 hours of tape, all preserved. Provisions for scholarly use will be determined after transcription of the tapes.

#### *PRINCIPIA COLLEGE:*

Charles B. Hosmer, Jr. Director  
Principia College  
Elsah, Illinois 62028

Major Topic: The history of Historic Preservation in the USA 1926-1949.

Memoirs deserving special mention: Horace Albright (National Park History Program), Verne Chatrain, Thomas Schneider, Ronald F. Lee, Charles E. Peterson, Herbert Kahler and others on National Park Service,



William G. Perry on Colonial Williamsburg, Fred Rath (National Trust), Mrs. George Henry Warren (Newport), Mrs. George Wells (Sturbridge), Henry Flynt (Deerfield), Ward Melville (Stony Brook), Lovis Jones, Don Alexander, Clifford Lord (Cooperstown).

Purpose of the program: To supplement oral history collections of Henry Ford Museum and Colonial Williamsburg and to provide oral history on historic New England areas and the National Park service.

In existence nine years, ongoing, autonomous, funded by donations.

Thirty-five persons interviewed, 65 hours of tape, all preserved, 20 interviews transcribed, 446 pages. Final copy edited, index planned, no master index, use restricted. This is a personal collection, comprising research for a book, but tapes will eventually be deposited in an institution. The interviewer is willing, within the limits of his time, to make transcriptions available to persons who come to the college.

**ROOSEVELT UNIVERSITY:**

Elizabeth Balanoff  
Roosevelt University  
430 South Michigan Avenue  
Chicago, Illinois 60605

Major Topics: Labor history in the Chicago area.

The program began July 1, 1970, and is ongoing. It is administered by the institution, with funds provided by the National Endowment for the Humanities.

Fifty hours of tape. Arrangements regarding use await transcription of the tapes.

**UNIVERSITY OF ILLINOIS:**

Maynard Brichford  
University Archivist  
Room 19, Library  
University of Illinois  
Urbana, Illinois 61801

Major Topics: University history, history of science and technology.

Memoirs deserving special mention: Joseph T. Tykociner, development of motion pictures and zetetics; F. Wheeler Loomis, physics; John Bardeen, physics research; William C. Rose, organic chemistry; Victor Shelford, ecology.

Purpose of the program: to supplement existing documentation in the University archives and manuscript collections.

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The program is six years old, ongoing, and a part of the University Archives. Funding is provided by the institution.

Twenty-two persons have been interviewed, 22 hours of tape, all preserved. One interview has been transcribed, 26 pages. Research and reproduction services can be arranged for persons unable to come to the institution. Collection is available to scholars applying in person and agreeing to the regulations established by the institution. Restrictions on use vary; usually permission of Archivist or person interviewed is required.

The University Archives has finding aids for all oral history interviews including subject indexes with footage measurements.

Marianna Trekell  
Oral History Research Office  
University of Illinois  
Graduate Department of Physical Education  
Champaign, Illinois 61820

Purpose of the program: to obtain source material, through tape-recorded interviews with persons who have made and are making important contributions to physical education and sports.

The program is four years old, ongoing and autonomous. Funding is provided by the institution.

Twenty person have been interviewed, 25 hours of tape, all preserved. Thirteen interviews have been transcribed, 325 pages. Final copy is edited and with biographical index. Eventually it will be cross-referenced with topical index. The collection is available to scholars applying in person and agreeing to the regulations established by the institution.

#### *WOOD LIBRARY-MUSEUM OF ANESTHESIOLOGY:*

John J. Leahy  
Men of Anesthesia—A Living History  
515 Busse Highway  
Park Ridge, Illinois 60068

Major Topics: Anesthesiology.

Memoirs deserving special mention: Several sessions in which a group of old timers meet at our Library-Museum and discuss various pieces of equipment in the museum attempting to identify them and relate their uses.

Purpose of the program: To document the beginnings of the medical specialty of anesthesiology in this country and to preserve the words, appearances, and mannerisms of the founders of this specialty.

In existence for five years, ongoing, part of the library, and funded by private donations and money provided by the institution.

Forty persons have been interviewed, 24 hours of tape, all preserved, no interviews transcribed, no final index, final copy not edited, and no master index. Collection available to scholars applying in person and agreeing to the regulations established by the institution.

Some interviews have also been recorded on 16 millimeter sound film. Copies available for cost of duplication.

Local groups encouraged to record history of anesthesiology and send in tapes. Booklet, "Guide for Oral History Projects," available on request.

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### *AMERICAN SOCIETY FOR MICROBIOLOGY:*

L.S. McClung  
438 Jordan Hall  
Indiana University  
Bloomington, Indiana 47401

Major Topics: interviews with current presidents, former presidents and other officers of ASM; history symposia at national meetings, Council meetings, presidential addresses.

Purpose of the program: to preserve the history of American microbiology.

The program is six years old, ongoing, part of the archives of the national organization, with funds provided by the Society.

About twenty persons interviewed, all tapes preserved. A master index to the collection is included in annual mimeographed lists of archives acquisitions. The collection is available to scholars applying in person, with archivist's approval.

### *ARCHIVES OF TRADITIONAL MUSIC:*

George List  
Maxwell Hall 013  
Indiana University  
Bloomington, Indiana 47401

Major Topics: Music, folklore and African history.

Purpose of program: To collect, preserve, and make available recordings of music and oral data.

In existence twenty-two years ongoing, money provided by the institution and foundation grants.

Fifty persons interviewed, 150 hours of tape, all preserved; three interviews transcribed, 250 pages. Final copy not edited, no final index

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and no master index. Many require the permission of the interviewee before use.

While not primarily an oral history program, the Archives of Traditional Music has interviews with important persons in such fields as ethnomusicology, anthropology and linguistics. The Archives serves also as the Center for African Oral Data (sponsored by the African Studies Association). A number of collections from various parts of Africa are contained in the Center.

#### *FRANKLIN COUNTY CENTENNIAL COMMITTEE:*

John J. Newman, Director  
P.O. Box 201  
Brookville, Indiana 47012

As a project related to the Bi-Centennial Celebration of the founding of the United States, the Committee plans to use oral history interviews to update the history of Franklin County, Indiana. The Committee has completed two interviews. They plan to interview teachers, businessmen, county leaders, and representatives of ethnic groups in and out of the county.

#### *HAMMOND HISTORICAL SOCIETY:*

Warren A. Reeder, Jr., Director  
Oral History  
Hammond Public Library  
568 State Street  
Hammond, Indiana 46320

Major Topics: Hammond history.

Memoirs deserving special mention: M. Floyd Murray on Knute Rockne, Notre Dame football coach.

Purpose of the program: Preserving individual recollections.

The program has been in existence five years, is ongoing and is part of the Hammond Historical Society.

Fifteen persons have been interviewed for twenty hours of tape, all preserved. Available through inter-library loan. None transcribed.

#### *INDIANA STATE LIBRARY:*

Randall Jehs  
Indiana State Library  
140 N. Senate Avenue  
Indianapolis, Indiana 46204

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Major Topics: 20th century Indiana politics, Indiana Veterans of the Spanish-American War.

Memoirs deserving special mention: Harold Feightner, newspaperman in the 1920's, (KKK in Indiana Politics) George Gill, Director of Made-Work Program 1929-1933, (Depression).

Purpose of the program: to supplement present collection, and to collect memoirs of prominent people.

The program is three years old, ongoing, administered and funded by the institution.

Twenty-five persons have been interviewed, 49 hours of tape, all preserved. Seven interviews transcribed, 222 pages, master index. Collection is available to scholars applying in person and agreeing to the regulations established by the institution.

Experimental program with Indiana Junior Historical Society, using high school students to locate and interview individuals for a student level oral history project.

**INDIANA UNIVERSITY:**

Indiana University Sesquicentennial Project  
706 Ballantine Hall  
Bloomington, Indiana 47401

Major Topics: History of Indiana University and Indiana political figures.

Memoirs deserving special mention: Distinguished administrators, professors, and alumni of Indiana University; Ex-Congressman J. Edward Rou.h.

Purpose of the program: Primarily to augment materials needed to write sesquicentennial history of Indiana University and to augment holdings on Indiana history.

The program has been in existence three years, is still in process and is part of the history department. Funding is provided by foundation grants.

Forty-five persons have been interviewed for 75 hours of tape, all preserved. Forty interviews have been transcribed with 400 pages completed and approximately 1,200 pages in process. Final copy is edited. Policy for scholarly use not finally determined.

**PURDUE UNIVERSITY:**

William W. Crowder  
Department of Education  
Lafayette, Indiana 47901

Major Topics: A study of life in Lafayette, Indiana.

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Memoirs deserving special mention: Interview with person who knew Elwood Haynes, inventor of horseless carriage.

Purpose of the program: to prepare tapes for use in research project with elementary school social studies project.

The program is one year old, ongoing, administered by the Department of Education, with funds from a departmental grant.

Eighteen persons have been interviewed, all preserved. Sixteen interviews transcribed.

This research has been undertaken to learn the extent to which oral history tapes can be used to supplement the teaching of state and local history in the elementary school. Interviews are mostly with senior citizens of the Lafayette, Indiana area who can recount early transportation, ways of living, recreation, famous people of the area.

#### *UNIVERSITY OF NOTRE DAME:*

Rev. Thomas E. Blantz, C.S.C.  
University Archivist  
P.O. Box 513  
Notre Dame, Indiana 46556

Major Topics: History of Notre Dame; History of Catholic Education in the United States; The Changing Church.

Program began in 1970, with funding by the university.

#### **IOWA**

#### *UNIVERSITY OF IOWA:*

Harry Graham  
Director, Center for Labor and Management  
College of Business Administration  
Iowa City, Iowa 52240

Major Topic: Labor history.

Purpose of the program: To provide details concerning foundation, growth and development of Communications Workers of America.

Program has been in existence for three years, ongoing, is part of the Center for Labor and Management, funded by grants from Communications Workers of America.

Thirty-one persons have been interviewed, 70 hours of tape, all preserved unless ordered to destroy it; twenty-five interviews transcribed,

535 pages. Final copy is edited, no index. There will be a cross index upon completion of project. Collection is available to scholars agreeing to regulations set by the institution and restrictions set by interviewee where applicable.

## KANSAS

### *BETHEL COLLEGE:*

James C. Juhnke  
Director, Schowalter Oral History Program  
Bethel College  
North Newton, Kansas 67117

Major Topic: Mennonite conscientious objectors during World War I.

Program has been in existence for two years, ongoing, part of the history department and the Schowalter Foundation, with money provided by the institution and foundation grants.

One hundred and seventy-five persons interviewed, 142 hours of tape, all preserved; 21 transcribed, 335 pages. Final copy not edited, no index. Collection available to scholars applying in person and agreeing to the regulations established by the institution.

### *DWIGHT D. EISENHOWER LIBRARY:*

John E. Wickman  
Dwight D. Eisenhower Library  
Abilene, Kansas 67410

Major Topics: Presidential administration of Dwight D. Eisenhower.

Purpose of the program: to provide source material on the Eisenhower Presidential Administration.

The program is four years old, ongoing, and is part of the library. Funding is provided by the institution and by foundation grants.

Two hundred and three persons have been interviewed, over 700 hours of tape, all preserved. All transcribed, 21,174 pages. Final copy is edited and indexed; there is a master index. The collection is available in accordance with the policy of the institution except where the donor has placed limitations on the interview.

Program is run in conjunction with Columbia University's Oral History Program, and copies of transcripts are deposited at both institutions.

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**FORT HAYS KANSAS STATE COLLEGE:**

Dr. Samuel J. Sackett  
Professor of English, FHKSC Folklore Collection  
Fort Hays Kansas State College  
Hays, Kansas 67601

Major Topics: Western Kansas folklore.

The program is 13 years old, ongoing, and part of the library. Funding comes from the institution.

There are about 300 tape hours, all preserved. None transcribed. Research and reproduction services can be arranged. Collection available to scholars applying in person.

**KENTUCKY**

**ALICE LLOYD COLLEGE:**

Marc Lanly  
Appalachian Oral History Project  
Alice Lloyd College  
Pippa Passes, Kentucky 41844

Major Topics: Appalachian history.

Purpose of the program: Alice Lloyd College is a junior college; 95 per cent of students come from Eastern Kentucky. The Project is designed to give them an opportunity to gain a richer understanding of their own culture as well as utilizing them as a bridge between the residents of Appalachian Kentucky and the scholarly community.

The program began in 1970, is autonomous, and funded through foundation grants.

Tapes are preserved. None transcribed. The collection is available to scholars applying in person and agreeing to the regulations established by the institution. Research and reproduction services can be arranged for persons unable to come to the institution.

**UNIVERSITY OF LOUISVILLE:**

Charles R. Berry  
Oral History Center  
Department of History  
Belknap Campus  
Louisville, Kentucky 40208

Major Topics: History of Louisville Orchestra; University of Louisville;



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prominent Kentuckians; the early training of American concert musicians.

The program is two years old, autonomous, with funding provided by the institution.

There will be a master index to the collection. Collection is available to scholars applying in person and agreeing to the regulations established by the institution.

**WESTERN KENTUCKY UNIVERSITY:**

Julia Neal, Director  
Kentucky Library and Museum  
Bowling Green, Kentucky 42101

Major Topics: Linguistics study of the Mammoth Cave area; individuals on selected topics.

Memoirs deserving special mention: Mammoth Cave study done by Dr. Gordon Wilson; speech patterns in the area.

Project funded by the institution, over 40 tapes, all preserved. No transcripts. Collection available to scholars applying in person and agreeing to the regulations established by the institution.

**LOUISIANA**

**ARCHIVE OF NEW ORLEANS JAZZ:**

Richard B. Allen  
Archive of New Orleans Jazz  
Tulane University Library  
New Orleans, Louisiana 70118

Major Topics: origin and development of New Orleans Jazz and related fields including earlier, parallel and later musical styles.

Memoirs deserving special mention: Nick LaRocca on the Original Dixieland Jazz Band; Punch Miller, on Louisiana and New Orleans jazz and its spread; Clarence Vincent, on New Orleans jazz; other musicians, music lovers, dancers.

Purpose of the program: to provide a research facility which will give biographical details as well as description of this music and the way it functions in society.

The program is 12 years old, ongoing and is part of the library. Funding is by foundation grants and by the institution.

Four hundred forty-five persons have been interviewed, 650 hours of

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tape, all preserved. Four hundred interviews have been transcribed, 7,000 pages. Final copy is edited, indexed biographically with a master index cross-referencing the entire collection. Copies of transcriptions and digests available at cost.

## MAINE

### *UNIVERSITY OF MAINE:*

Edward D. Ives, Director  
Northeast Folklore Archives  
South Stevens Hall  
University of Maine  
Orono, Maine 04473

Major Topics: Folklore, and History of Lumbering.

The program has been in existence two years, is ongoing and is autonomous. Funding is provided by the institution and small donations.

Fifty persons have been interviewed for approximately 600-700 hours of tape. All tapes are preserved. All interviews have been transcribed. A master index to the collection is planned. Research and reproduction services can be arranged for persons unable to come to the institution.

## MARYLAND

### *NATIONAL INSTITUTES OF HEALTH:*

Wyndham D. Miles, Ph.D., Historian  
National Institutes of Health  
Room 2B-30, Bldg. 31  
Bethesda, Maryland 20014

Major Topics: History of Public Health Service, National Institutes of Health, American medical research, and related topics.

Purpose of the program: to provide information for any historian working in these fields.

The program is seven years old, ongoing, and is part of the Office of the NIH Historian. Funding is provided by the institution.

Sixty-two persons have been interviewed 500 tape hours, all preserved. There are no transcriptions, but the tapes are indexed. The collection is available through inter-library loan; reproduction services arranged; collection available to scholars.

**NATIONAL LIBRARY OF MEDICINE:**

Peter D. Olch M.D.  
History of Medicine Division  
National Library of Medicine  
8600 Rockville Pike  
Bethesda, Maryland 20014

Major Topics: Medical education; public health; clinical biochemistry; surgery.

Memoirs deserving special mention: Many subject areas in the health sciences are covered.

Purpose of the program: to supplement the personal papers of individuals which are deposited in the manuscript collection of the Library and to develop a series of oral history records pertaining to particular subject areas.

The program is four years old, ongoing, administered by the Library, with funds provided by the institution.

Fifty-five persons interviewed, 290 hours of tape, all preserved. All interviews initiated by the Library have been transcribed. Final copy has been edited and has a biographical and topical index. There is a master index to the collection. Original transcripts and tapes may be consulted at Library. The Library provides limited reference service related to content of the collection and extracts or copies of transcripts can be made, within restrictions set by the interviewees.

Program conducted in-house by limited staff. On occasion interviews conducted by outside individuals under contract to NLM.

**SOCIAL SECURITY ADMINISTRATION:**

Abe Bortz, Historian  
Social Security Administration  
Department of Health, Education and Welfare  
832 Administration Building  
Baltimore, Maryland 21235

Major Topics: social security history with major emphasis placed on experiences of the pioneers in the movement and those involved in Medicare.

Memoirs deserving special mention: Wilbur Cohen, Nelson Cruikshank, I. S. Falk, Arthur Altmeyer among others.

Purpose of the program: to secure the personal memoirs of people involved in various aspects of the social security movement in the United States.

The program is six years old, ongoing, with funding provided by the agency.

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One hundred twelve persons have been interviewed, 370 hours of tape, all preserved. One hundred sixteen interviews have been transcribed, 11,398 pages. Final copy is not edited, but is indexed biographically. The use of the collection is restricted; it varies depending on the wishes of the interviewee.

Project carried out by Columbia University's Oral History Research Office. All tapes and transcripts are deposited with that office.

#### *U.S. NAVAL INSTITUTE:*

John T. Mason, Jr., Director  
Oral History  
U.S. Naval Institute  
Annapolis, Maryland 21402

Major Topics: Naval Aviation, U.S. Coast Guard, Oceanography, Fleet Admiral Chester W. Nimitz (biography to be published using Oral History materials), The Waves and Naval Biography.

Memoirs deserving special mention: Currently 50 full-length biographies of Naval Officers are in various stages of completion; a catalogue of listings is planned.

Purpose of the program: To collect materials of interest and value to naval historians and biographers.

The program has been in existence two years, is ongoing, autonomous, with money provided by the institution.

Over 150 persons have been interviewed, 620 hours of tape, all preserved. Over 15,000 pages of transcript. Final copy is edited, index is biographical, master index. Collection open except for material that is closed until a specified date.

### **MASSACHUSETTS**

#### *BOSTON PUBLIC LIBRARY:*

Philip J. McNiff  
Oral History Program  
Boston Public Library  
Copley Square  
Boston, Massachusetts 02117

Major Topics: 20th century political and governmental history of the city of Boston and of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts; the Sacco-Vanzetti Case.

Memoirs deserving special mention: former Gov. Channing Cox;

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Clement A. Norton, Boston political figure; the Sacco-Vanzetti case, James Michael Curley, and the Kennedys.

Purpose of the program: to record the observations and reminiscences of men and women who have been prominent in the public life of Boston or of Massachusetts during the present century.

The program is one year old, ongoing and is part of the library. Funding is provided by the institution.

Eleven persons have been interviewed, 33 hours of tape, all preserved. Two interviews have been transcribed, 24 pages. The collection is available to scholars applying in person and agreeing to the regulations established by the institution.

**BOSTON UNIVERSITY:**

Mary Ann L. Garrigan, Director  
Nursing Archive, Mugar Memorial Library  
771 Commonwealth Ave.  
Boston, Massachusetts 02215

Major Topics: Leaders in nursing education, practitioners in clinical fields, military nursing, public health, health institutions, founders of nursing, and nursing organization.

Memoirs deserving special mention: Pearl McIver, Theresa Grace Multer, Linda Richards, Lucile Petry Leone, Elinor D. Gregg, Stella Goostray, Martha Ruth South, Marion G. Parsons, A. May Wentell, Janet M. Geisler, Virginia Dunbar, Frances Slanger, Florence Flores, Robert Mahoney, A. Sue Kerley, Virginia Allen, Dorothy Hayward, Ruth Freeman, Alice R. Clarke.

Purpose of the program: Improvement of teaching and research in history of nursing.

Ongoing, part of history department and library, funded by government grants, membership donation (Nursing Archive Associates) and by the institution.

Approximately 85 persons interviewed, 85 hours of tape, all preserved, 65 transcribed. There is a master index. Tapes not yet in open library, used by faculty and upon request.

**BRANDEIS UNIVERSITY:**

David Westphal, Director  
Dretzin Living Biographies Program  
Brandeis University  
Waltham, Massachusetts 02154

Memoirs deserving special mention: David Ben Gurion; Carlos Romulo;

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Louis Rosenteil (Industrialist); Dr. Grete Bebring (student of Freud).

The program has been in existence three years, is ongoing and autonomous. Funding is provided by individual donations.

Six persons have been interviewed for seven hours of tape, all preserved. Five interviews have been transcribed. Collection is available to scholars applying in person and agreeing to the regulations established by the institution.

### *HARVARD UNIVERSITY:*

Charles T. Morrissey, Director  
Christian A. Herter Oral History Project  
Charles Warren Center  
Harvard University  
Cambridge, Massachusetts 02138

Major Topics: Mr. Herter's career as journalist, diplomat, and political figure.

Purpose of the program: To provide biographical information about Mr. Herter.

Project is still in process.

Thirty persons interviewed, thirty hours of tape, no plans to transcribe interviews. To be administered by the Houghton Library at Harvard University upon completion of project in 1972.

Robert W. Lovett  
Curator of Mss. and Archives, Graduate School of Business  
Baker Library  
Boston Massachusetts 02163

Major Topics: Topics on business history and history of the business school.

Memoirs deserving special mention: William M. Cole, William J. Cunningham and William A. Mitchell.

The program is ongoing, administered by the library, with funding by the institution.

Three persons interviewed, four hours of tape, two tapes preserved. Four interviews transcribed, approximately 425 pages. Final copy is not indexed, no master index. Collection is available to scholars applying in person and agreeing to the regulations established by the institution. The Mitchell interview is restricted.

Transcriptions of 29 interviews concerning Winthrop W. Aldrich, New York banker, have been placed with the Aldrich papers and noted in the descriptive inventory of that collection.

*JOHN F. KENNEDY LIBRARY:*

John F. Stewart, Acting Director  
Oral History Program  
380 Trapelo Road  
Waltham, Massachusetts 02154

Major Topic: Career and administration of John F. Kennedy.

Purpose of the program: To supplement the collection of papers and other printed material.

The program has been in existence six years, is ongoing, is part of the library, money provided by the institution.

Eight hundred sixty-one persons have been interviewed, 1,652 hours of tape, all preserved, 800 interviews have been transcribed, 45,000 pages. Master index being prepared. A final copy is typed from the edited copy, final index is topical. Collection available to scholars applying in person and agreeing to the regulations established by the institution.

*LAUREL HILL ASSOCIATION:*

Dr. Eugene Talbot, President  
Laurel Hill Association  
Austen Riggs Center  
Stockbridge, Massachusetts 01262

Major Topics: Personal recollections of Stockbridge; local history.

Approximately twenty persons interviewed; no index; research and reproduction permitted.

*NEUROSCIENCES RESEARCH PROGRAM, M.I.T.:*

Theodore Melnechuk  
Tape Recordings of NRP Meetings  
Neurosciences Research Program, M.I.T.  
280 Newton St.  
Brookline, Massachusetts 02146

Major Topics: facts and ideas on brain research.

Purpose of the program: to permit eventual scholarly study of the history of science-making in brain research.

The program is seven years old, ongoing, with funding provided by the institution.

There are 1000 hours of tape, all preserved. Use of the collection will be decided on an individual basis.

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Tapes are of invited groups of experts on a topic and not of individual interviews. These tapes are made as part of the process of making as complete an editorial background record as possible of meetings. Notes are taken also by the staff. A selective summary of content is published in our Bulletin & Anthologies. It is not "Oral History" in the sense of interviews; rather, it is eavesdropping on persons engaged in cooperative scientific thinking.

##### *UNIVERSITY OF MASSACHUSETTS:*

Labor Relations Oral History Project  
Draper Hall, University of Massachusetts  
Amherst, Massachusetts 01002

Major Topics: Labor History in Massachusetts during World War I.

Program in existence 1967-1970, as part of history department, completed, no further activity planned. Funding was through a grant from the Carol Buttenwieser Loeb Fund.

Three persons were interviewed. Transcribing of interviews is in process.

#### **MICHIGAN**

##### *CENTRAL MICHIGAN UNIVERSITY:*

John Cumming  
Clarke Historical Library  
Mount Pleasant, Michigan 48858

Major Topics: local history.

Memoirs deserving special mention: Fred Dustin, amateur archeologist and Custer scholar; George Wallace Skinner, lumberjack and author.

Purpose of the program: to supplement our local history collections.

The program is six years old, ongoing and is a part of the library. Funding is provided by the institution.

Twenty-three persons have been interviewed.

##### *FLINT PUBLIC LIBRARY:*

Ransom L. Richardson  
Oral History Program of the Flint Public Library  
Flint Public Library  
1026 East Kearsley St.  
Flint, Michigan 48502

Major topics: local history and recollections on automotive history.



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Purpose of the program: to strengthen local history collection by adding personal reminiscences of longtime residents.

The program is six years old, ongoing, and part of the library. Funding is provided by the institution.

Twenty-seven persons have been interviewed, 37 hours of tape, all preserved. Fifteen interviews have been transcribed, 205 pages. Transcripts are available through inter-library loan.

Most tapes are made by members of pioneer families. Two interviews have been done by a history teacher with two of the oldest residents of the black community.

**FORD ARCHIVES:**

Henry E. Edmunds  
Oral History Section  
Ford Archives  
Henry Ford Museum and Greenfield Village  
Dearborn, Michigan 48100

Major Topics: Henry Ford, Ford Motor Company, and related activities.

Purpose of the program: to supplement and interpret Ford documentation.

The program is 20 years old, part of the Ford Archives, and is funded through the institution.

Four hundred thirty-four persons have been interviewed, with all the tapes erased after transcription. Estimated total pages (1965), 26,039.

The final copy is edited and indexed, biographically. The collection is available to qualified scholars applying in person and agreeing to the regulations established by the institution.

**LIBRARY, GENERAL MOTORS CORPORATION:**

Robert W. Gibson, Jr.  
Librarian  
Research Laboratories  
General Motors Corporation  
Twelve Mile and Mound Road  
Warren, Michigan 48000

Major Topics: Charles F. Kettering as recalled by friends and fellow workers.

One hundred persons were interviewed in 1961; 1,000 pages of transcript, indexed.

Funding was by foundation grant; use restricted.

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**UNIVERSITY OF MICHIGAN:**

Robert M. Warner  
Michigan Historical Collections Oral History Program  
University of Michigan  
Rackham Building  
Ann Arbor, Michigan 48104

Major topics: industrial unionism in 1930's and 1940's; life and times of Frank Murphy; the University of Michigan and local history.

Memoirs deserving special mention: Governor C. Mennen Williams, William O. Douglas, Neil Staeble.

Purpose of the program: to supplement manuscript holdings of significant Michigan events and people.

The program is ten years old, ongoing and is a part of the library. Funding is provided by the institution.

One hundred seventy-seven persons have been interviewed, 200 hours of tape, sample portions preserved. All interviews have been transcribed, with 25-30 pages per interview. Final copy is edited and indexed, topically. The collection is available to scholars applying in person and agreeing to the regulations established by the institution.

The labor history material duplicates materials found in the Wayne State holdings.

**WAYNE STATE UNIVERSITY:**

Philip P. Mason  
Director  
Wayne State University  
Archives of Labor History and Urban Affairs  
Detroit, Michigan 48202

Major Topics: Unionization of automobile industry, Civil Rights Movement, Negro in the Labor Movement, Cesar Chavez and the United Farm Workers of the World.

Purpose of the program: to supplement and interpret archival collection; provide historical information not available in written materials.

The program is ten years old, ongoing and part of the Archives. Funding is provided by the institution.

One hundred fifty persons have been interviewed, 500 hours of tape, some preserved. One hundred fifty interviews have been transcribed, 20,000 pages. Final copy is edited and indexed, both biographical and topical, with a master index cross-referencing the entire collection. The

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collection is available to scholars applying in person and agreeing to the regulations established by the institution.

See also University of Michigan, Michigan Historical Collection Oral History Program.

**WESTERN MICHIGAN UNIVERSITY:**

Wayne C. Mann  
Archives and Regional History Collection  
Western Michigan University  
University Archives  
Kalamazoo, Michigan 49001

Major Topics: Local history.

Purpose of the program: an additional method of recording information on Regional History of southwest Michigan.

The program is 12 years old, ongoing, reports to the Director of Academic Services. Funding is provided by foundation grants and by the institution.

Sixty-four persons have been interviewed, with some of the tapes preserved. Sixty-one interviews have been transcribed. Collection is available to scholars applying in person and agreeing to the regulations established by the institution.

**MINNESOTA**

**MAYO CLINIC FOUNDATION:**

Clark W. Nelson, Director  
Mayo Foundation Historical Archives  
200 First Street Southwest  
Rochester, Minnesota 55901

Major Topics: History of Mayo Institutions, staff and their relationship to American medicine, St. Mary's Hospital and Methodist Hospital.

Memoirs deserving special mention: Doctors Guy Stanton Ford, Raymond P. Sullivan, Edward C. Stafne, Fredrick A. Willius, Louie T. Austin, Frank C. Mann, Monte C. Piper, and Mrs. Henry S. Plummer; also, a radio interview with John F. Kennedy, 1940, as an author.

Purpose of the program: To document Mayo Institutions History using oral as well as visual and written means.

The program has been in existence seven years, is ongoing and is part of the historical archives. Funding is provided by the institution.

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Forty-six persons have been interviewed, sixty hours of tape, all preserved. Twenty-eight interviews have been transcribed, 424 pages. Final copy is edited, no master index. Availability dependent upon prior application and research needs of scholar.

The Foundation is routinely using a tape recorder to capture significant staff presentations relating to institutional developments.

### *MINNESOTA HISTORICAL SOCIETY*

Lila M. Johnson  
Audio-Visual Library  
Minnesota Historical Society  
690 Cedar Street  
St. Paul, Minnesota 55101

Major Topics: Minnesota and Minnesotans.

Purpose of the program: to collect information about the history of Minnesota; to preserve "voices" of prominent Minnesotans.

The program is three years old, ongoing, part of the Audio-Visual library, funded by the institution through State government appropriations and private donations.

One hundred persons interviewed, 200 hours of tape, all preserved. Fifty interviews transcribed, approximately 1,000 pages. Final copy is edited. There is a catalog of interviews with a few cross-reference subject headings. Provisions for scholarly use vary with each interview; most are not restricted. A few tapes will remain sealed during the lifetime of interviewee, some available with written permission of interviewee.

### *UNIVERSITY OF MINNESOTA:*

Prof. Harold C. Deutsch  
Department of History  
614 Social Sciences Building  
Minneapolis, Minnesota 55455

Major Topics: German military conspiracy against Hitler.

Purpose of the program: to serve as basis of a book on the subject.

The program is twelve years old, completed, and is autonomous. Funding was provided by the institution and by foundation grants.

Ninety persons have been interviewed, 50 hours of tape, most preserved. Use of the collection is restricted.

This collection is a personal project. One book was published in 1968, and another in 1970.

## MISSISSIPPI

### MARY HOLMES COLLEGE:

Clarence M. Simmons, Director  
Mary Holmes College Oral History Program  
West Point, Mississippi 39773

Major Topics: Study of rural Mississipians with emphasis on sharecropping.

Purpose of the program: To engage students and faculty in joint research on rural Mississipians.

The program is ongoing. Three hundred persons have been interviewed with 150 interviews transcribed, seven to 50 pages each. The final copy is edited.

### MILLSAPS COLLEGE:

Professor Gordon Henderson  
Department of Political Science  
Millsaps College  
Jackson, Mississippi 39200

Major Topics: Civil Rights including school desegregation, and voter registration; Theodore Bilbo; Mississippi politics since 1930; cotton industry; Mississippi Civil Rights Advisory Council; elections of 1955, 1959, 1963; Ole Miss Crisis, 1962; Citizens Council.

Approximately 50 persons interviewed.

Program began 1965 on a foundation grant. Research and reproduction available, although some memoirs are restricted.

### MISSISSIPPI STATE UNIVERSITY:

Willie D. Halsell  
Oral History Program  
Special Collections Department  
Mitchell Memorial Library  
P.O. Drawer 5408  
State College, Mississippi 39762

Major Topics: Agricultural Extension Service history, University history, state and local history.

The program is two years old, ongoing and is a part of the history department and the library. It will be continued by the library. Funding is provided by the institution.

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Eight persons have been interviewed, all tapes preserved. Seven interviews have been transcribed, 150 pages. Final copy is not edited, but is indexed topically. The collection is available to scholars applying in person and agreeing to the regulations established by the institution.

**MISSOURI**

*HARRY S. TRUMAN LIBRARY:*

J.R. Fuchs  
Oral History Project  
Harry S. Truman Library  
Independence, Missouri 64050

Major Topics: Administration and career of Harry S. Truman; European Recovery Program, list of historical materials is available.

Purpose of the program: to augment the source materials concerning the career and administration of Harry S. Truman.

The program is ten years old, ongoing and is part of the library. Funding is through governmental appropriations.

One hundred two persons have been interviewed, 336 hours of tape, sample portions preserved. Two hundred forty-three interviews have been transcribed, 3,132 pages. Final copy is edited and indexed, both biographical and topical with a master index cross-referencing the entire collection. The collection is available to scholars applying at the Library, subject to regulations established by the institution and to restrictions, if any, imposed by the interviewee.

Funding was provided by the institution and by foundation grants.

*UNIVERSITY OF MISSOURI:*

Nancy C. Prewitt  
Western Historical Manuscript Collections  
University of Missouri Library  
Columbia, Missouri 65202

Major Topic: Newspaper editors.

Purpose of the program: pilot program.

Program in operation 1965-70, completed, autonomous, with funds provided by the institution.

Four persons interviewed, eight tape hours, all erased after transcription, four interviews transcribed, 162 pages. Final copy is not indexed but is edited, no master index. Research and reproduction services

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can be arranged for persons unable to come to the institution, need permission of person interviewed.

This program was run as a pilot project.

*WASHINGTON UNIVERSITY:*

William A. Deiss  
University Archivist, University Archives and  
Research Collection  
Box 1061  
Washington University Library  
St. Louis, Missouri 63130

Major Topics: history of Washington University and of the St. Louis metropolitan area in the 20th century.

Memoirs deserving special mention: Ethan A. H. Shepley, former Chancellor of Washington University; Edward Bowles, expert consultant to Secretary of War, Henry Stimson.

The purpose of the program: to complement our archival collections.

The program is two years old, ongoing and is part of the library. Funding is provided by the institution.

Three persons have been interviewed, 35 hours of tape, all preserved. Two interviews have been transcribed, 400 pages. Final copy is edited. The use of the collection is restricted; none of the material is open yet.

**MONTANA**

*UNIVERSITY OF MONTANA:*

Brian Cockhill, Acting Archivist  
Library Archives  
University of Montana  
Missoula, Montana 59801

Major Topics: Montana and Northwest history—politics, business, and industry.

Memoirs deserving special mention: H.O. Bell, one of the first northwestern auto dealers; S. Rae Logan, nationally known educator, Montana homesteader.

Purpose of the program: To supplement our historical manuscripts collection.

The program has been in existence three years, is ongoing and is part of the library. Funding is provided by the institution.

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Five persons have been interviewed for seven hours of tape, all preserved. Collection is available to scholars applying in person and agreeing to the regulations established by the institution.

**NEBRASKA**

*NEBRASKA STATE HISTORICAL SOCIETY:*

Marvin F. Kivett, Director  
1500 R Street  
Lincoln, Nebraska 68508

Major Topics: Scandinavian immigration and local Negro history, pioneer history of Nebraska.

Purpose of the program: To preserve through sound recordings the history of Nebraska.

In existence twenty years. fifty interviews conducted, sixty hours of tape, two interviews transcribed. No final index. All tapes are available to scholars.

**NEVADA**

*UNIVERSITY OF NEVADA:*

Mary Ellen Glass  
Getchell Library  
University of Nevada  
Reno, Nevada 89507

Major Topics: Nevada and Western history, politics, and society.

Memoirs deserving special mention: extensive bibliography available upon request.

Purpose of the program: for scholars interested in Nevada and its adjacent areas.

The program is five years old, ongoing, and is part of the library. Funding is provided by the institution.

Fifty-two persons have been interviewed, 500 hours of tape, sample portions preserved. Fifty interviews have been transcribed, 8,500 pages. Final copy is edited, biographical and topical index, with a master index cross-referencing the entire collection. The collection is available to scholars applying in person and agreeing to the regulations established by the institution. Restrictions apply at request of the chronicler.



## NEW JERSEY

### *BERGEN COMMUNITY COLLEGE:*

Richard W. Lenk  
c/o Bergen Community College  
400 Paramus Road  
Paramus, New Jersey 07652

Major Topics: interviews with local residents who have special skills or unusual backgrounds, local history.

The program is 13 years old and is funded by Dr. Lenk.

The collection is available to scholars who apply in person and agree to the regulations established by Dr. Lenk or the person interviewed.

### *CRANFORD HISTORICAL SOCIETY:*

Roderick W. Smith, Trustee  
Cranford Historical Society Oral History Program  
124 Union Avenue North  
Cranford, New Jersey 07016

Major Topic: History of Cranford.

Memoirs deserving special mention: Tape recordings of past mayors, fire chiefs, long time residents, clergy, teachers, businessmen.

Purpose of the program: To record and preserve special knowledge of Cranford's history.

In existence five years, ongoing, part of Cranford Historical Society, funded by small donations.

Twenty-four persons interviewed, none transcribed, all tapes preserved. No index. Tapes are available for use in public library for research purposes.

Procedural outline available.

### *PRINCETON UNIVERSITY:*

Alexander P. Clark  
Curator, The Dulles Oral History Collection  
Firestone Library  
Princeton, New Jersey 08540

Major Topics: John Foster Dulles and his times.

Purpose of the program: to supplement the Dulles personal papers which are in the library.

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The program is three years old, completed, and is part of the library. Funding was through large individual donations.

Two hundred seventy-nine persons have been interviewed, tapes all preserved. All interviews have been transcribed, 11,800 pages, with final copy edited but not indexed. The availability of transcriptions of the tapes is dependent upon the wishes of the interviewee.

Many of the transcripts are open, others are closed for various periods of time, or may be seen upon the permission of the donor of the interview. A descriptive catalogue of 82 pages is available for \$2.00.

### **NEW MEXICO**

#### *NEW MEXICO STATE LIBRARY:*

Jerome Dean Simpson  
New Mexico State Library  
Santa Fe, New Mexico 87501

Major Topics: personal history of early pioneers; state history; accounts of early state organizations and events.

The program is three years old, ongoing, and is a part of the library. Funding is provided by the institution.

Fifteen persons have been interviewed, 22 hours of tape, all preserved. Fifteen interviews have been transcribed. The collection is available through inter-library loan, and research and reproduction services can be arranged for persons unable to come to the institution. Also available to scholars applying in person and agreeing to the regulations established by the institution.

#### *UNIVERSITY OF NEW MEXICO:*

G. Martin Ruoss  
Zimmerman Library  
University of New Mexico  
Albuquerque, New Mexico 87106

Major topics: early New Mexico history.

Memoirs deserving special mention: Agnes Meader Snider, Capt. Mossman, Henry Brock, Montague Stevens, Wayne Whitehill, Marietta Wetherill.

The program began in 1951, is completed and autonomous, part of the library. Funding was provided by the institution.

Ninety persons were interviewed, 600 hours of tape, all preserved. Final

copy is edited and indexed, both biographically and topically. One hundred interviews have been transcribed, about 50 pages per tape. Transcription continues; master index planned when transcription is complete. Research and reproduction services can be arranged for persons unable to come to the institution. The collection is available to scholars applying in person and agreeing to the regulations established by the institution.

Catalog of holdings available upon request. A duplicate set of tapes was sent to the University of Arizona, Tucson, Arizona.

## **NEW YORK**

### *ALUMNI ASSOCIATION OF THE CITY COLLEGE OF NEW YORK:*

Bertrand I. Klein, Director  
Oral History Program  
City College Alumni Association  
Finley Center  
New York, New York 10027

Major Topic: Alumni educators.

Memoirs deserving special mention: Career and college memories of Morris Meister, formerly principal of the Bronx High School of Science, N.Y., of Professor Ephraim Cross, at C.C.N.Y., and Gabriel Mason, NYC educator.

Project is ongoing, part of the Alumni Association, funded by small donations.

Final copy is edited, no final index, all tapes preserved. Collection available to scholars applying in person and agreeing to the regulations established by the institution.

### *AMERICAN INSTITUTE OF PHYSICS:*

Charles Weiner, Director  
Center for History and Philosophy of Physics  
335 East 45th Street  
New York, New York 10017

Major Topics: Twentieth century physics.

Purpose of the program: The oral history program is closely integrated with research and archival activities to document the history of contemporary physics.

The program has been in existence six years, is ongoing and

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administered by the history department. Funding is provided by the institution and government grants.

Seventy persons have been interviewed for more than 300 hours of tape, all preserved. All interviews have been transcribed for more than 7,500 pages. Final copy is edited, with a biographical index. A master index to the collection is planned. Collection is available to scholars applying in person and agreeing to the regulations established by the institution.

The center serves also as a repository for tapes and transcripts of related interviews and of talks, symposia, etc. A complete listing can be found in *A Selection of Manuscript Collections at American Repositories*, National Catalog of Sources for History of Physics, Report No. 1, AIP Publication R-217, 1969.

#### AMERICAN JEWISH COMMITTEE:

Milton E. Krents, Co-ordinator  
William E. Wiener Oral History Library  
165 East 56th Street  
New York, N.Y. 10022

Purpose of the program: to trace the American Jewish experience in the twentieth century.

The program is one year old and autonomous. Funding is through foundation grants and small and large donations.

The collection will be available to scholars applying in person and agreeing to the regulations established by the institution.

#### AMERICAN SOCIETY OF CIVIL ENGINEERS:

Neal FitzSimons  
Committee on History and Heritage  
American Society of Civil Engineers  
345 East 47th Street  
New York, New York 10017

Major topics: interviews with leading civil engineers, or, if deceased, with relatives and friends.

Memoirs deserving special mention: extensive list available upon request.

Purpose of the program: Archival collection for scholarly research.

The program is five years old, ongoing, and part of the library of the History Committee Program. Funded by interviewees.

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The tapes are all preserved. The collection is available to scholars applying in person and agreeing to the regulations established by the institution.

The Committee is seeking an institutional depository for this collection.

**BUFFALO & ERIE COUNTY HISTORICAL SOCIETY:**

Dr. Wilbur H. Glover, Curator of Manuscripts  
25 Nottingham Court  
Buffalo, New York 14216

Major Topics: Politics.

Purpose of the program: Accumulation of historical data.

Project just beginning, part of the Buffalo & Erie Historical Society, funded by government grants, all tapes preserved.

A final copy index is planned, as well as a master index. It is also planned to edit the final copy. Available through inter-library loan; research and reproduction services can be arranged for persons unable to come to the institution. Collection available to scholars applying in person and agreeing to the regulations established by the institution.

**CHEMUNG COUNTY HISTORICAL CENTER:**

Paul W. Ivory  
Chemung County Historical Society, Inc.  
Elmira, New York 14901

Major Topics: History, lore, crafts of Chemung County.

Memoirs deserving special mention: Dr. Ida Langdon's reminiscences of her uncle, Mark Twain.

Purpose of the program: To tape record planned interviews with those people whose lives and knowledge represent important sources of local history.

In existence one year, ongoing, funds provided by the institution.

Seven persons interviewed, nine hours of tape, all preserved, three interviews transcribed. Final copy not edited, no index. Research and reproduction services can be arranged for persons unable to come to the institution. Collection available to scholars applying in person and agreeing to the regulations established by the institution.

Transcription is in process; an index is planned.

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**COLUMBIA UNIVERSITY:**

Louis M. Starr, Director  
Elizabeth B. Mason, Associate Director  
Oral History Research Office  
Butler Library  
New York, New York 10027

Major Topics: Primarily public affairs. Literature, law, medicine, journalism, music, architecture, painting, sculpture, business, labor, pure science are represented in greater or less degree in a collection designed to provide source materials on 20th century American life, with emphasis on its leaders.

The program has been in existence since 1948, is ongoing and autonomous. Funding is provided by government grants (25%), foundation grants (22%), money provided by the institution (15%), other grants (25%), and endowment (13%).

Two thousand five hundred persons have been interviewed, for 13,000 hours of tape. Prior to 1964 most were erased; since then all have been preserved. All tapes have been transcribed for 342,500 pages. The final copy is edited and each index is biographical, with a master index to the entire collection. About 70% of tapes "open," some with permission required for use, the balance closed until specified dates.

In addition to some 600 autobiographical memoirs, The Oral History Collection includes "Special Projects" (i.e., clusters of interviews on given subjects) on the following: Life of General Henry H. ("Hap") Arnold, 1,726 pages; Aviation History, 5,264 pages; Book-of-the-Month Club, 1,124 pages; Carnegie Corporation, 9,928 pages; the Chinese Republic, 1911-1949, 30,000 pages, *continuing*; Campus Crisis at Columbia, 2,457 pages; James B. Duke and the Duke Endowment, 2,704 pages; Eisenhower Administration, 21,174 pages, *continuing*; Federated Department Stores, 2,909 pages; Forestry and the Timber Trade, 3,218 pages; Historians on American History, 2,581 pages; Jackson Hole Preserve, 1,026 pages; Life of Herbert H. Lehman, 1,488 pages; McGraw-Hill, 4,590 pages, *continuing*; Mt. Sinai Hospital, 1,039 pages, *continuing*; Nobel Laureates on Scientific Research, 1,484 pages; Occupation of Japan, 1,434 pages; Oil Wildcatting in Texas, 1,085 pages; Popular Arts (chiefly motion pictures), 7,819 pages; Psychoanalytic Movement, 1,831 pages; Radio Pioneers, 4,017 pages; Social Security: Origins through Medicare, 11,522 pages; Socialist Movement, 1,141 pages; Life of Adlai Stevenson, 4,890 pages, *continuing*; Life of Robert A. Taft, 1,337 pages, *continuing*; World Bank, 1,585 pages. These and a number of smaller projects represent about 40% of the Oral History Collection, the balance being autobiographical.

A catalogue, *The Oral History Collection* (1964) and supplements (1966, 1968) are available in most libraries. A new edition is planned for 1971.

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**CORNELL UNIVERSITY:**

Gould P. Colman, Director  
Cornell Program in Oral History  
502 Olin Library  
Ithaca, New York 14850

Major Topics: Innovation and diffusion of ideas, practices, and technology, institutional studies, family decision making, NLRB, railway labor.

Memoirs deserving special mention: Cyrus Ching, Edwin B. Nourse, D. Howard Doane, Sarah Blanding.

Purpose of the program: Promotion and service of research in American history and social sciences, archival functions.

The program has been in existence eight years, is ongoing, administratively a unit of the Cornell University Libraries, funded by the University budget, intra-University grants, public agencies, and foundations.

590 persons have been interviewed, 1,492 hours of tape, all preserved, 408 interviews transcribed, 46,218 pages. Each index is biographical; there is a master index. All editing is done by the respondent. However, not all transcripts are returned to the respondent for review. Conditions governing use of tapes and transcripts are determined by the respondent.

For information on the activities of the Cornell Program in Oral History, write for the newsletter. For information on the Program's acquisitions, write for the report of the Collection of Regional History and University Archives.

**HISPANIC SOCIETY OF AMERICA:**

Shirley A. Victor  
Assistant Curator of Library  
613 West 155th Street  
New York, New York 10032

Major Topics: Hispanic art, literature, history.

Memoirs deserving special mention: Homero Seris on literary subjects; William E.B. Starkweather on Sorolla; Jose Rodrigues Migueis and Camila Jose Cela on their literary works.

Purpose of the program: To collect personal recollections of certain topics from society members.

The program has been in existence seven years, is ongoing, housed in the Library of The Hispanic Society of America, with money provided by the institution.

Fifteen persons have been interviewed, 15 hours of tape, all preserved, one interview transcribed. Final copy is edited, no index. Provisions for scholarly use require release from interviewee and interviewer.

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*INTERNATIONAL BUSINESS MACHINES CORPORATION:*

L.M. Saphire & W.L. Rofes, Directors  
IBM Technological History & IBM Business History  
Armonk, New York 10504

Major Topics: IBM technology; the history of IBM.

In existence eight years, ongoing, part of the archives, money provided by the institution.

Two hundred persons interviewed, 485 hours of tape, tapes pertaining to technology are retained, those on the business history are erased after transcription; 190 interviews transcribed, 9,000 pages. Final copy is edited, index for Section on IBM technology both biographical and topical, master index to the collection. No provisions for scholarly use at this time.

The technological series and the company history series are separate projects.

*LEVITTOWN PUBLIC LIBRARY:*

Robert N. Sheridan, Director  
Oral History Program  
Levittown Public Library  
Levittown, L.I., New York 11756

Major Topics: A history of the world's first mass-produced town, Levittown; Union Free School District No. 5; Levitt & Sons; and the Levittown Library.

The program has been in existence one year, is ongoing, part of the Levittown History Collection, with money provided by the institution.

Five persons have been interviewed, 10 hours of tape, all preserved, five interviews transcribed, 50 pages. Final copy is currently being edited, no index. Transcriptions are available through inter-library loan.

*LIBRARY AND MUSEUM OF THE PERFORMING ARTS,  
THE NEW YORK PUBLIC LIBRARY AT LINCOLN CENTER:*

Miss Genevieve Oswald, Director  
Dance Collection—Oral Tape Archive  
111 Amsterdam Avenue  
New York, New York 10023

Purpose of the program: To record while the dancer is still living, his life, his aims and accomplishments.



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The Dance Collection has been in existence since 1944, the Oral Tape Archive since 1967. The Dance Collection is part of The Research Libraries of The New York Public Library and as such is supported by private funds. The project is ongoing.

One hundred and eighty persons have been interviewed, 150 hours of tape, all preserved, no interviews have been transcribed. Some tapes not available until 50 years from taping; others will be made available presently.

**MOUNT SINAI MEDICAL CENTER:**

Albert S. Lyons, Director  
History of Mt. Sinai Hospital & Medical School  
11 East 100th Street  
New York, New York 10029

Major topics: interviews with retired staff members, leaders and contributors to medical knowledge, non-medical personnel with knowledge of past people and events.

Purpose of the program: to preserve and recreate the personalities and ideas of men of the past; to obtain and preserve information about Mt. Sinai hospital as well as medicine in New York City.

The program is five years old, ongoing, autonomous, and a part of the Archives Office. Funding is provided by the institution.

Forty persons have been interviewed, 40 hours of tape, all preserved. Thirty-one interviews have been transcribed for 1,039 pages. Final copy is edited and indexed, both biographically and topically. The collection is available to scholars applying in person and agreeing to the regulations established by the institution.

Copies are deposited in the Columbia University Oral History Collection.

**NEW YORK OFFICE OF STATE HISTORY:**

W.K. McNeil, Director  
Oral History Program  
55 Elk Street  
Albany, New York 12224

Major Topic: New York State's 1967 Constitutional Convention.

The program has been in existence two years, is ongoing, part of the library, with money provided by the institution.

Twenty persons have been interviewed, twenty hours of tape, all preserved, eighteen interviews transcribed, 200 pages. Final copy is edited, no final index or master index. Collection available to scholars applying in person and agreeing to the regulations established by the institution.

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*ORANGE COUNTY COMMUNITY COLLEGE:*

Harold J. Jonas, Director  
Oral History Project  
Orange County Community College  
Middletown, New York 10940

Major Topic: Founding and early history of the college; community history.

The program has been in existence six years, is ongoing, part of the History department, with money provided by the institution.

Twelve persons have been interviewed, thirty hours of tape, all preserved, eight interviews transcribed. Final copy is not indexed or edited. When an official historian is appointed, use will be at his discretion. The project has been expanded to include material from persons other than those identified with the college project itself.

*PRIVATE COLLECTION:*

Shirley Camper Soman  
40 West 77th Street  
New York, New York 10024

Major Topics: social welfare—children, aged, poverty, health.

Memoirs deserving special mention: Wilbur Cohen, Roger Baldwin, Wealthy Fisher, Merrill Jackson, Leopold Lippman, Margaret Mead, Dr. Alice Hamilton.

Forty-four persons interviewed. The project is still in process.

These interviews comprise a personal collection made while doing the research for a book on social welfare.

*RIVERHEAD FREE LIBRARY:*

Norval K. Dwyer, Director  
Oral History Project  
330 Court Street  
Riverhead, New York 11901

Major Topics: Aspects of Riverhead town history from 1900.

Memoirs deserving special mention: Dr. Harold Beverage, R.C.A. engineer, co-inventor of Beverage long wave antenna; Nathaniel Talmage, leading farmer, and Otis Pike, national congressman.

The program has been in existence for two years, ongoing. Funding is provided by individual contributions and library funds.

Fifteen persons have been interviewed for twenty-five hours of tape, all preserved. Collection is available to scholars, but is restricted to library use.

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*ST. JOHN'S UNIVERSITY:*

Walter L. Willigan, Director  
St. John's University Oral History Research Project  
Grand Central and Utopia Parkways  
Jamaica, New York 11432

Major Topics: History of New York State; African affairs.

Program has been in existence three years, is ongoing, part of the library and history department, money provided by the institution.

Five persons have been interviewed, sample portions preserved. One interview transcribed, 80 pages. No index, final copy is edited. Collection available to scholars applying in person and agreeing to the regulations established by the institution.

*STATE UNIVERSITY OF NEW YORK  
COLLEGE OF ARTS & SCIENCES AT PLATTSBURGH:*

Glyndon Cole, Director  
Oral History Program  
c/o Dean of Faculty of Social Sciences  
Plattsburgh, New York 12901

Major Topics: Regional topics in North Country, New York State.

Memoirs deserving special mention: Series on ghost towns in Clinton and Essex counties; interviews with James I. Loeb, former U.S. ambassador to Peru and past president of Americans for Democratic Action.

Purpose of the program: Research and instruction.

Program has been in existence one year, is ongoing, autonomous, money provided by the institution.

Five persons interviewed, seven hours of tape, all preserved, no interviews transcribed. Collections available to scholars applying in person and agreeing to the regulations established by the institution.

*UNITED STATES MILITARY ACADEMY:*

Major Gerald O. Stadler  
Department of History  
West Point, New York 10996

Purpose: Oral history is utilized in teaching the history of the military art to advanced cadets.

The program has been in existence one year, is ongoing, part of the library and history department, with money provided by the institution.

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Three persons have been interviewed, three hours of tape, all preserved, no interviews have been transcribed. Final copy is not edited or indexed, but a master index is planned. Availability for scholarly use is not yet determined.

#### *YIVO INSTITUTE FOR JEWISH RESEARCH, INC.:*

Joshua A. Fishman, Director  
Oral American Jewish History  
1048 Fifth Avenue  
New York, New York 10028

Major Topic: History of the Jewish Labor Movement and Yiddish and Hebrew culture since the beginning of the century.

Memoirs deserving special mention: Adolf Held, labor leader; Emil Stezinger, President of the Jewish Labor Committee; Mark Shweid, Yiddish poet, actor, and essayist; Pearl Halperin, union leader; Osip Walinski, cultural activist.

Purpose of the program: To accumulate source material on the history of American Jewry in general and on the history of the Jewish labor movement in particular.

In existence nine years, ongoing, autonomous, funded by small donations.

Fifty-eight persons interviewed, 280 hours of tape, all preserved, 140 interviews transcribed, approximately 900 pages. Final copy not edited. Index is topical, no master index. Collection available to scholars applying in person and agreeing to the regulations established by the institution.

### **NORTH CAROLINA**

#### *DUKE UNIVERSITY:*

Mattie Russell  
Curator of Manuscripts  
Duke University Library  
Durham, North Carolina 27706

Major Topics: Associates and other acquaintances of James B. Duke; employees and former employees of Duke University.

Program is ongoing, part of the library, funded by the institution and the Duke Endowment.

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Forty-five persons interviewed, 89 hours of tape, all preserved, 40 interviews transcribed, 2,704 pages. Final copy is edited. Index is biographical, no master index. Collection available to scholars applying in person and agreeing to the regulations established by the institution. Use restricted by the interviewee during his lifetime.

Transcripts also on deposit in The Oral History Collection of Columbia University, which conducted the initial program.

*UNIVERSITY OF NORTH CAROLINA:*

William S. Powell, Director  
North Carolina Collection  
University of North Carolina Library  
Chapel Hill, North Carolina 27514

Major Topics: North Carolinians, events in North Carolina.

Memoirs deserving special mention: Frank P. Graham, L.R. Wilson, various governors, college and university officials, authors.

In existence ten years, ongoing, part of the library, funded by an endowment.

Approximately 270 recordings, none transcribed. There is a master index cross-referencing the entire collection. Collection available to scholars applying in person and agreeing to the regulations established by the institution.

Interviews are mixed in with public addresses, sermons, lectures, the whole being treated as a unit. All recordings are fully catalogued—author, title, and subject cards appear in the North Carolina Collection card catalogue.

**OHIO**

*AMERICAN JEWISH ARCHIVES:*

Dr. Stanley F. Chyet  
American Jewish Archives  
3101 Clifton Avenue  
Cincinnati, Ohio 45220

Major topic and purpose: research material on Jewish experience in Western Hemisphere.

Program has been in existence since 1960, ongoing, funded by the institution.

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Eighty-two persons have been interviewed, 160 hours of tape, all preserved, 28 interviews transcribed for 244 pages. Final copy is unedited, has biographical and master index.

Research and reproduction services can be arranged for persons unable to visit the institution. Collection is available to scholars applying in person and agreeing to the regulations established by the institution. Some tapes restricted.

### *ARCHIVES OF THE HISTORY OF AMERICAN PSYCHOLOGY:*

John A. Popplestone, Director  
Oral History Project in American Psychology  
University of Akron  
Akron, Ohio 44304

Major Topic: Psychology.

Purpose of the program: To augment the published record, as well as the archival and manuscript collections deposited in the Archives of the institution.

Program has been in existence four years, ongoing, is within the Archives of the History of American Psychology, University of Akron, funded by small donations and the institution.

Twelve persons have been interviewed, 40 hours of tape, all preserved, eight interviews transcribed. Index is biographical. No final editing or master index. Three of the histories are sealed until donor's death, the rest available in accordance with regulations established by the institution.

### *OHIO HISTORICAL SOCIETY:*

David R. Larson and David Jo Rosenblatt, Directors  
Oral History Department  
Ohio Historical Center  
1892 Velma Avenue  
Columbus, Ohio 43211

Major Topics: Topics of Ohio history that are of local, state or national importance.

Purpose of the program: To provide original source material for scholarly research to complement the Ohio Historical Society's archives and library holdings.

The program is two years old, ongoing, administered by the Archives and Manuscripts Division of the Society, funded by the institution and special grants.

## *Ohio 77*

One hundred and twenty-five persons have been interviewed, 205 hours of tape, all preserved. Seventy-five interviews have been transcribed; 3,100 pages. Final copy is sometimes edited, and indexed. Archives and Manuscripts divisions use NUCMC cards and separate respondent articles in the card catalog. The Society also collects donated tape-recorded interview series sponsored by individual researchers. The collection is available to scholars applying in person and agreeing to the regulations established by the institution. Copies of some transcripts deposited in the other seven institutions that are members of the Ohio Network of American History Research Centers.

### *OHIO STATE UNIVERSITY:*

Robert A. Tibbetts, Director  
Oral History Center for Latin America  
Special Collections, The Library  
Ohio State University  
Columbus, Ohio 43210

Major topics: recent political, economic, and social history of Latin American cultures and Latin American leaders.

Purpose of the program: to compensate for lack of personal memoirs in Latin American cultures.

The project has been completed with 37 persons interviewed, 92 hours of tape, all preserved. Thirty interviews have been transcribed. No index, final copy not edited, no master index. Most tapes unavailable; special permission for use can be obtained from the Library and Professor James Wilkie of UCLA, who originated the work while at Ohio State.

Inventory available upon request.

### *UNIVERSITY HOSPITALS OF CLEVELAND:*

Miss Eugenia Kucherenko, Archivist  
University Hospitals of Cleveland  
Lowman House, Room 330  
2065 Adelbert Road  
Cleveland, Ohio 44106

Major topics: local history of medicine.

Memoirs deserving special mention: biographical sketches of deceased physicians, events, special projects, first Babies Dispensary in Cleveland.

Purpose of the program: to fill the gaps in existing historical material and for preservation of important information.

### *78 Ohio / Oklahoma*

The program is one year old, ongoing, and is part of the Archives. Funding is provided by the institution.

Sixteen persons have been interviewed. The tapes are now being preserved; earlier tapes not preserved. Seventeen interviews have been transcribed. Final copy is edited and indexed, both biographically and topically. The collection is available to scholars applying in person and agreeing to the regulations of the institution.

## **OKLAHOMA**

### *OKLAHOMA CHRISTIAN COLLEGE:*

Pendleton Woods  
Oklahoma Living Legends  
Eastern at Memorial Road  
Oklahoma City, Oklahoma 73111

Major Topic: Oklahoma.

Purpose of the program: Development of audio-visual materials on Oklahoma.

Program has been in existence five years, ongoing, autonomous, funded by foundation grants, donations.

About 220 persons have been interviewed, 200 hours of tape, all preserved, no interviews transcribed. Index is biographical and topical; there is a master index to the collection. Collection available to scholars applying in person and agreeing to the regulations established by the institution.

### *UNIVERSITY OF OKLAHOMA:*

Boyce D. Timmons, Director  
Duke Indian Oral History Project  
American Indian Institute  
Norman, Oklahoma 73069

Major Topics: Indian life and culture—traditional and contemporary.

Purpose of the program: To build a research collection of oral testimony from Indian people which will provide both a different kind of substantive information and new insights for persons interested in Indian history.

The program has been in existence three years, ongoing, autonomous, funded by a foundation grant.



*Oklahoma / Oregon 79*

Four hundred and seventy persons have been interviewed, 1,100 hours of tape, all preserved, 150 interviews transcribed, approximately 5,000 pages. Final copy not edited, but is indexed. A master index is in process. Collection available to scholars applying in person and agreeing to the regulations established by the institution.

The University of Oklahoma is one of six institutions participating in Indian Oral History projects sponsored by Doris Duke Foundation.

**UNIVERSITY OF OKLAHOMA MEDICAL CENTER:**

R. Palmer Howard  
University of Oklahoma Medical Center  
800 N.E. 13th Street  
Oklahoma City, Oklahoma 73104

Major Topics: Experiences of early physicians in Oklahoma and contributions of contemporary physicians.

Program has been in existence three years, ongoing, is part of the History of Medicine Department, money provided by the institution.

Seven persons have been interviewed, 12 hours of tape, all preserved, seven interviews transcribed, 185 pages. Final copy is edited, no index or master index. Transcripts which have been completely edited have been released by interviewees to Medical School Library. The librarian will open such manuscripts to scholars.

The initial transcripts have been edited only to delete incorrect and repetitious words. The majority of the tapes represent a work-collection which is part of a research project in local medical history. A few are of more general interest to medical scholars.

**OREGON**

**OREGON HISTORICAL SOCIETY:**

Thomas Vaughan, Director  
1230 S.W. Park Avenue  
Portland, Oregon 97205

Major Topic: Recollections of Oregon history.

The program has been in existence six years and is part of the library. Funding is provided by the institution.

Fourteen persons have been interviewed for fifteen hours of tape, all preserved. Collection is available to scholars applying in person and agreeing to the regulations established by the institution.

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## PENNSYLVANIA

### *AMERICAN PHILOSOPHICAL SOCIETY LIBRARY:*

Murphy D. Smith, Assistant Librarian  
105 South Fifth Street  
Philadelphia, Pennsylvania 19106

Major topics: Quantum physics; American Indians.

The program is ongoing, with funding provided by the institution and foundation grants.

Approximately 100 reels of interviews in the quantum physics program have been accumulated; approximately 500 in the American Indian program. All of the physics program tapes have been transcribed and some of the Indian tapes. The final copy is edited. All of the tapes are being preserved. Research and reproduction services can be arranged for persons unable to come to the institution. Collection available to scholars applying in person and agreeing to the regulations established by the institution.

### *BRYN MAWR COLLEGE ALUMNAE ASSOCIATION:*

Anne L. Nicholson  
Archivist Alumnae Association  
Bryn Mawr College Alumnae Association  
Bryn Mawr, Pennsylvania 19010

Major Topics: Distinguished alumnae interviewed on their achievements; also, Bryn Mawr recollections.

Memoirs deserving special mention: Lily Ross Taylor, Professor Emeritus of Latin and former Dean of the Graduate School; Hilda W. Smith, on the Bryn Mawr Summer School for Women Workers; Marianne Moore, on her poetry; Helen Taft Manning, Professor Emeritus of History and former Dean.

Purpose of the program: To provide bases for future history of the College and of the achievements of alumnae of Bryn Mawr.

Program has been in existence two years, ongoing, autonomous, money provided by the institution.

Twenty persons have been interviewed, 30 hours of tape, all preserved. No interviews transcribed, some abstracted. Editing and indexing plans are under consideration. Archivist plans master index to the collection. No provisions for scholarly use at this time.

*D. LEONARD CORGAN LIBRARY, KING'S COLLEGE:*

Margaret Mary Fischer  
Oral History Program  
14 West Jackson Street  
Wilkes-Barre, Pennsylvania 18702

Major Topics: Folklore, sociology and local history.

Memoirs deserving special mention: George G. Korson—Folklore archive manuscripts and tapes.

Purpose: To collect information on folklore, local history and sociological conditions in Luzerne County, and history of King's College.

Program has been in existence one year, is part of the library, funded by the institution.

Four interviews totalling ten hours; transcribing in process. All tapes are preserved. Collection available to scholars applying in person and agreeing to the regulations established by the institution.

*HUNT BOTANICAL LIBRARY:*

George H.M. Lawrence, Director  
Carnegie-Mellon University  
Hunt Botanical Library  
Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania 15213

Major Topics: Botany, horticulture, and other plant fields.

Purpose of the program: To provide primary documentation relevant to the history of the plant sciences.

The program has been in existence two years, is ongoing, and is part of the library, with money provided by the institution.

Forty-one persons have been interviewed, 80 hours of tape, all preserved, ten interviews transcribed. Final copy is edited but not indexed. Confidential nature of interviews has resulted in most of them being restricted during the life of the interviewee.

Collection includes lectures, seminars, and colloquia by plant scientists.

*PENNSYLVANIA HISTORICAL AND MUSEUM COMMISSION:*

Dr. Edward Tracy, Director  
Oral History Program of the Pennsylvania  
Historical and Museum Commission  
Box 1026  
Harrisburg, Pennsylvania 17108

Major Topics: Administration of the governors of Pennsylvania in the

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20th century beginning with Governor James; functions and effects of state governmental activities as viewed by state employees and elected officials.

The program has been in existence one year, is ongoing and is autonomous. Funding is provided by the institution and small donations.

Twenty to 25 persons have been interviewed, 14 hours of tape, all preserved. Collection is available to scholars applying in person and agreeing to the regulations established by the institution.

One video tape is being made of each interviewee and will be available together with the tapes and transcripts. Program is jointly sponsored by the Commission and the history department of Kutztown State College.

### *PENNSYLVANIA STATE UNIVERSITY:*

Alice M. Hoffman, Director  
Oral History Program Historical Collections  
Pennsylvania State University  
King of Prussia, Pennsylvania 19406

Major topic: Labor history.

Purpose of the program: To recover the history of the labor movement and to supplement the Archival collecting program.

The program has been in existence three years, is ongoing, part of the library and department of Labor Studies, funded by large institutional donations. The United Steel Workers gave its archive to the University, including records of locals and district offices, and, in addition, made a grant for oral history to supplement the written record. Both biographical and special project series have been undertaken.

Ninety persons have been interviewed, 243 hours of tape, all preserved. Sixty-eight interviews have been transcribed for 1,697 pages. Final copy is edited and indexed, no master index.

Collection available to scholars applying in person and agreeing to the regulations established by the institution.

Extensive list of memoirs available.

### *U.S. ARMY MILITARY HISTORY RESEARCH COLLECTION:*

Colonel George S. Pappas, Director  
Department of the Army  
U.S. Army Military History Research Collection  
Carlisle Barracks, Pennsylvania 17013

Major Topics: Spanish American War, Philippine Insurrection, and

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Boxer Rebellion Veterans; General of the Army Omar N. Bradley; Rear Admiral Alexander Wotherspoon on his father's career.

Program in existence two years, ongoing, part of the library, funded through annual budget.

Twenty persons interviewed, 56 hours of tape, all preserved, ten interviews transcribed, 593 pages. Final copy not edited, no index. Collection available to scholars applying in person and agreeing to the regulations established by the institution. Some materials have been restricted at the request of the interviewee. Other interviews contain classified materials.

## **SOUTH DAKOTA**

### **AUGUSTANA COLLEGE**

William R. Wyatt, Director  
Center for Western Studies  
Augustana College  
Sioux Falls, South Dakota 57102

Major Topics: Changing social patterns on South Dakota's frontier; socio-historical interviews with South Dakota pioneers and their descendants.

Purpose of the program: To evaluate the breakdown of frontier attitudes and mores and preserve South Dakota's past.

The program has been in existence three years, is completed, with funding by foundation grants.

One hundred twenty persons interviewed, one hundred hours of tape, all preserved, one hundred fifteen interviews transcribed, approximately 2,500 pages. Final copy is not edited or indexed. Available to scholars applying in person and agreeing to the regulations established by the institution.

### **UNIVERSITY OF SOUTH DAKOTA:**

Joseph H. Cash  
American Indian Research Project  
University of South Dakota  
Vermillion, South Dakota 57069

Major topics: Indian history, ethnology, and music; major collections on the Indian Reorganization Act; the Sisseton Dakota; Sioux music; Indian religion.

Purpose of the program: to collect and preserve Indian History from the Indian point of view.

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The program is four years old, ongoing, autonomous, administered through the Institute of Indian Studies. Funding is through Doris Duke Foundation.

Four hundred fifty persons have been interviewed, 675 hours of tape, all preserved. Some are tapes of Indian music. Four hundred interviews have been transcribed. Final copy is not edited but is indexed. Use of the collection is restricted in some cases by the informants.

#### *SOUTH DAKOTA ORAL HISTORY PROJECT:*

Dr. Steven Ward  
Department of History  
University of South Dakota  
Vermillion, South Dakota 57069

Major Topics: Recollections of Dakota pioneers and public officials.

Program is a cooperative one, with South Dakota Historical Society and local historical societies working with University of South Dakota program. Funding by state legislature for 1970-71.

One hundred eighty persons interviewed, 140 tapes, none transcribed.

Program to locate and copy privately made tapes; transcripts are planned for deposit in South Dakota Historical Society and at University of South Dakota.

#### **TENNESSEE**

#### *THE CHATTANOOGA AREA HISTORICAL ASSOCIATION:*

Oral History Project  
c/o Culver H. Smith  
University of Chattanooga  
Chattanooga, Tennessee 37401

Purpose of the program: the acquisition of memoirs that may contribute to local history.

The program is five years old, ongoing, and is part of the library. Funding is provided by the institution.

Six persons have been interviewed, tapes preserved. Final transcript is edited and indexed. Collection is available to scholars applying in person and agreeing to the regulations established by the institution.

**EAST TENNESSEE STATE UNIVERSITY:**

Thomas G. Burton and Ambrose N. Manning  
Directors, Oral History Archives  
East Tennessee State University  
Johnson City, Tennessee 37601

Major Topics: Mainly folklore, interviews with retired University personnel.

Memoirs deserving special mention: Burton-Manning Collection of Folklore, consisting of railroad work chants, reminiscences and tales, ballads and songs.

Purpose of the program: To create a reservoir of primary sources in regional oral history, accessible to the general public as well as to the research scholar.

The program has been in existence five years, ongoing, funded by the ETSU Research Advisory Council.

Approximately 400 persons have been interviewed, 300 hours of tape, all preserved, approximately 1,600 pages transcribed from tape plus 700 pages of contributed manuscript taken down from oral sources. The final copy is edited and indexed with a master index to the collection. Available through inter-library loan; research and reproduction services can be arranged; collection available to scholars applying in person and agreeing to the regulations established by the institution.

**MEMPHIS PUBLIC LIBRARY:**

Joseph H. Riggs  
Oral History Department  
Memphis Public Library  
Memphis, Tennessee 38111

Major Topics: memoirs of political, military, and social leaders; health, hunger, and environment.

Memoirs deserving special mention: Governor Gordon Browning; E.H. Crump; Admiral Harold Martin; and General Everett R. Cook.

The program is seven years old, ongoing, administered by the Library with funds provided by the institution.

Fifty persons interviewed, 200 hours of tape, all preserved. Thirty-five interviews transcribed, 1,000 pages. Final copy has been edited and has a biographical and topical index. The collection is available to scholars applying in person and agreeing to the regulations established by the institution.

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**MEMPHIS STATE UNIVERSITY:**

Charles W. Crawford  
Oral History Research Office  
Memphis State University  
Memphis, Tennessee 38111

Major topics: regional topics.

Purpose of the program: to preserve the memoirs of men and women who have made significant contributions in recent times, and to encourage faculty research and publication by aiding researchers in locating and collecting source material.

The program is four years old, ongoing, and is semi-autonomous. Funding is provided by the institution.

Two hundred and seven persons have been interviewed, 472 hours of tape, all preserved. One hundred forty-two interviews have been transcribed. Final copy is edited. Index is both biographical and topical. There is a master index cross-referencing the entire collection. The collection is available to scholars applying in person and agreeing to the regulations established by the institution. A few memoirs are restricted for a specific period of time. Brochure is available upon request.

**RACE RELATIONS INFORMATION CENTER LIBRARY:**

Mrs. Mal James Harris, Director  
1109 19th Avenue South  
Nashville, Tennessee 37212

Major Topics: Black candidates in Davidson County, Black political leaders.

Program initiated in 1970. To date it centers on the contributions of two Black leaders, Avon Williams, Jr., State Senator, and Dr. Edwin H. Mitchell, political activist.

**TEXAS**

**BAYLOR UNIVERSITY:**

Dr. Thomas L. Charlton, Director  
Program for Oral History  
Baylor University  
Waco, Texas 76703

Major Topics: Religion and culture; Texas judicial system; Texas economic history.



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The program is ongoing and is autonomous. Funded Nov. 1, 1970.  
Funding is provided by the institution and foundation grants.  
The final copy will be edited and all tapes will be preserved.

*NORTH TEXAS STATE UNIVERSITY:*

Ronald E. Marcello  
Oral History Collection  
North Texas Station  
Denton, Texas 76203

Major topics: legislative project; ex-Governors; New Deal; history of banking and finance in Texas; Texas veterans of World War II.

The program is nine years old, ongoing, and autonomous. Funding is provided by the institution.

Seventy persons have been interviewed, 300 hours of tape, all preserved. Seventy-seven interviews have been transcribed, 5,865 pages. Use of the collection is at the discretion of North Texas Oral History Committee and in some instances the interviewee.

*RICE UNIVERSITY:*

Oral History Project  
Fondren Library  
Rice University  
Houston, Texas 77001

Major Topics: University Presidential Appointment Crisis, 1969.

The program is one year old and completed. Funding was provided by a government grant.

Sixty-five persons were interviewed, 120 hours of tape, all preserved except where deletions were required by interviewee. Thirty interviews have been transcribed, with remaining abstracted. Final copy is edited. The collection is closed until 1974.

The program was jointly sponsored by the History and Political Science Departments and the University Archives, with the material controlled by the University Archives.

*SOUTHWEST COLLECTION:*

R.S. Dunn, Director  
Southwest Collection  
Texas Tech University  
Lubbock, Texas 79409

Major topics: ranching, irrigation, oil, medicine, rodeos and rodeo performers, settlement and life in the region; crime investigation.

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Memoirs deserving special mention: Peter Hurd, western artist; Dr. R.T. Conon, F.D.R. specialist; Judge James D. Hamlin, Texas representative of the XIT holdings; Sam D. Myres, saddle maker; W.C. Holden, history professor; Daniel I.J. Thornton, Colorado Governor (1951-1954); Clifford B. Jones, banker and college president.

Purpose of the program: to preserve on tape reminiscences of notable persons and events in the Southwestern United States and to supplement manuscript collections held by the Southwest Collection.

The program is 11 years old, ongoing, and is part of the Southwest Collection. Funding is provided by the institution.

Five hundred persons have been interviewed, 1200 hours of tape, all preserved. Sixty interviews have been transcribed. Final copy is indexed, both biographically and topically, with a master index cross-referencing the entire collection. Use of the collection is restricted in some instances by the interviewee.

All tapes are abstracted, but transcribed only in special cases. In addition to reminiscences of business activities and memoirs of personal experiences, the Southwest Collection holds twenty-six tapes of testimony before the Texas Crime Investigating Committee, 1950-1953, and of the Potter County Grand Jury's part in the Texas Crime Investigating Committee investigation.

### *SOUTHWEST TEXAS STATE UNIVERSITY:*

James W. Pohl, Director  
Oral History Program  
Department of History  
Southwest Texas State University  
San Marcos, Texas 78666

Major topic and purpose: to collect military history source material.

Memoirs deserving special mention: accounts of World War II operations; first US military mission to Vietnam.

Program began 1970, ongoing, part of history department; funded by institution.

Fifteen persons interviewed, 60 hours of tape, all restricted for ten years.

### *UNIVERSITY OF TEXAS:*

F.S. Brandt  
Oral Business History Project  
Dept. of Management, BEB 500  
Austin, Texas 78712

Major topics: Business history, innovation and change in organizations; management studies.

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Memoirs deserving special mention: Max Levine tracing the growth and development of national retailing chains.

Purpose of the program: to collect oral histories from leading Southwest businessmen.

The program is two years old, ongoing, and is part of the Management Department of the School of Business. Funding is provided by the institution and by foundation grants.

Twenty-five persons have been interviewed, 170 hours of tape, all preserved. One hundred hours of interviews have been transcribed. The final copy is edited. The collection is available through inter-library loan. Research and reproduction services can be arranged for persons unable to come to the institution. Also, collection is available to scholars applying in person and agreeing to the regulations established by the institution.

Dr. Joe B. Frantz, Director  
Oral History Project  
Box 8900  
University Station  
Austin, Texas 78712

Major Topics: Lyndon Johnson and his times, with emphasis on Presidential years.

Purpose of the program: To supplement the written word and provide future scholars with insights and information not otherwise available.

Program in existence for three years, ongoing, funded by the University of Texas to be turned over to the LBJ Library under the auspices of the National Archives.

Five hundred and twenty-nine persons interviewed, approximately 1,400 hours of tape, sample portions preserved, 902 tapes; 550 interviews have been transcribed. Final copy is partly edited, no final index or master index. Available to scholars applying in person and agreeing to the regulations established by the institution. Restricted per donor's instructions.

Chester V. Kielman, Director  
Oral History of the Texas Oil Industry  
University of Texas Archives  
University Station  
Austin, Texas 78712

Major topic and purpose: To preserve the history of the Texas oil industry from exploration through production.

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Program has been in existence 18 years, is ongoing, part of the Library; funding is by institution and donations.

Two hundred eighteen persons interviewed, approximately 200 hours of tape, all preserved, all transcribed and edited, master index.

## UTAH

### *BRIGHAM YOUNG UNIVERSITY LIBRARY ARCHIVES:*

Hollis J. Scott, University Archivist  
Oral History Program  
Brigham Young University Library  
Provo, Utah 84601

Major Topics: Utah, Mormon Church and BYU history.

Memoirs deserving special mention: Aldon Anderson, recollections as an officer in the Salt Lake and Utah Railroad; Hilda Erickson, frontier days in Western Tooele County; Eva Maeser Crandall, daughter of the first president of BYU, reminiscences of her father.

Purpose of the program: To obtain historical information not found in other sources.

The program has been in existence ten years, is ongoing and is part of the library. Funding is provided by the institution.

Thirty persons have been interviewed for 150 hours of tape, all preserved. Thirty interviews have been transcribed for approximately 1,400 pages. The final copy is edited and indexed. Collection is available to scholars applying in person and agreeing to the regulations established by the institution.

### *SOUTHERN UTAH STATE COLLEGE LIBRARY:*

Inez S. Cooper  
Director, Oral History Collection  
Southern Utah State College Library  
Cedar City, Utah 84720

Major Topics: Southern Utah history, history of college, Indian and Mormon relationships, folkways of the Mormon Church.

Memoirs deserving special mention: George A. Wood, building of Cedar City's Rock Church, El Escalante Hotel, and other public buildings; coming of the Railroad; opening of Southern Utah's national parks.

Program has been in existence for five years, ongoing, part of the library, funded by the institution.

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Eighty-four persons interviewed, seventy-five hours of tape, all preserved, 20 interviews transcribed, 1,500 pages. Final copy is edited, no index. Collection available to scholars applying in person and agreeing to the regulations established by the institution.

Twenty-odd tapes on Indian history in the southern part of Utah, all transcribed, were done in collaboration with the Western History Center, University of Utah. Bound copies of these transcriptions are available at both institutions.

*UTAH STATE HISTORICAL SOCIETY:*

Charles S. Peterson, Director  
603 East South Temple  
Salt Lake City, Utah 84102

Major Topics: Ethnic and minority groups, political history.

Purpose of the program: To provide source material for studies of the Spanish American, Greek, Italian, and other minority groups.

In existence one year, ongoing, autonomous, funded by the state government.

Fifteen persons interviewed, fifteen hours of tape, all preserved, no interviews transcribed. Decision pending on scholarly use.

*UNIVERSITY OF UTAH:*

C. Gregory Crampton  
Director, Duke Indian Oral History Project  
Center for Studies of the American West  
University of Utah  
Salt Lake City, Utah 84112

Major Topic: Indians of the mountain United States.

Purpose of the program: To establish the Indian point of view in American history.

The program has been in existence since December, 1966, is ongoing, and comes under the administration of the Center for Studies of the American West, a research arm of the University of Utah. Funding is provided by private philanthropy.

Over one thousand persons have been interviewed, 1,500 hours of tape, all preserved. About 150 interviews transcribed, for 5,000 pages. Final copy is edited, there is a biographical and topical index, and a master index. Collection is available to scholars applying in person and agreeing to the regulations established by the institution.

Dr. Crampton is general coordinator for the entire Duke Indian Oral

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History Project, which consists of separate programs at the Universities of Arizona, Florida, Illinois, New Mexico, Oklahoma, South Dakota and Utah. Entries will be found for the programs at Florida, Oklahoma, South Dakota and Utah. The other programs may be addressed as follows:

Dr. Lewis Binford  
Department of Anthropology  
University of New Mexico  
Albuquerque, New Mexico 57106

Dr. Bernard L. Fontana, Ethnologist  
Arizona State Museum  
University of Arizona  
Tucson, Arizona 85721

Dr. Edward Bruner  
Department of Anthropology  
University of Illinois  
109 Davenport Hall  
Urbana, Illinois 61801

**VIRGINIA**

*COLONIAL WILLIAMSBURG, INC.:*

James R. Short  
Colonial Williamsburg, Inc.  
Williamsburg, Virginia 23185

Major topics: reminiscences of townspeople, architects, historians, construction workers, craftsmen, about Williamsburg before the restoration and about the process of restoration.

Purpose of the program: To supplement documentary records, for eventual use in compiling a historical account of the project.

The program is 15 years old, ongoing, part of the Division of Interpretation. Funding is provided by the institution. Most of the interviews were conducted between 1955-1957.

Sixty-five persons have been interviewed, 500 tape hours, with sample portions preserved. Forty interviews have been transcribed. Final copy is edited and indexed. No master index. The collection is restricted at present.

*MADISON COLLEGE:*

Elmer L. Smith  
Shenandoah Valley Folk Culture  
P.O. Box 268  
Harrisonburg, Virginia 22801

*Virginia 93*

Major topics: general folklore with emphasis on the German heritage of the region.

Purpose of the program: to preserve the folk culture of the past in an Appalachian Valley region undergoing change. Program is ongoing.

One hundred twenty-five persons have been interviewed, 450 hours of tape. Eighty interviews have been transcribed, final copy is not edited, but is indexed topically.

**GEORGE C. MARSHALL RESEARCH LIBRARY:**

Forrest C. Pogue, Director  
George C. Marshall Research Library  
Lexington, Virginia 24450

Major topics: life, times, and activities of General Marshall.

Memoirs deserving special mention: 40 hours of tape recordings by General George C. Marshall, Nov. 15, 1956 to April 11, 1957 (19 tapes).

Purpose of the program: to supply information for the four volume authorized biography of General Marshall being written and at a later date, to serve as research material for qualified researchers at the George C. Marshall Library.

The program is 14 years old, ongoing, and will become part of the library upon completion of the biography. Funding sources are from foundations, donations, and advance on biography.

Three hundred and four persons have been interviewed, with all tapes preserved. One hundred interviews have been transcribed, 3,048 pages, also notes from non-recorded interviews. The Marshall tapes are indexed both biographically and topically. Disposition of this material awaits completion of Marshall biography, editing, checking, and indexing.

**WORLD TAPES FOR EDUCATION:**

William J. Weaver  
2010 Leonard Road  
Falls Church, Virginia 22043

Major topics: Philippine Campaign, Dec. 8, 1941 to May, 1942, and prison experiences; Pershing's Expedition and the Columbus Raid by Pancho Villa; environmental Oral History of the Southwest, including western life and the Pueblo Indians; various military topics, Boxer Rebellion, Mexican Revolution.

Purpose of the program: To preserve the spoken word.

#### *94 Virginia / Washington*

The program is seven years old, ongoing, with funding provided by small donations.

One hundred persons have been interviewed for 250 hours of tape, all preserved. Master index by cards, with outlines of materials recorded. Collection is available to scholars applying in person and agreeing to the regulations established by the institution.

### WASHINGTON

#### *PEND OREILLE COUNTY HISTORICAL SOCIETY:*

E.E. Hupp  
Pend Oreille County Historical Society  
Box 355  
Newport, Washington 99156

Major Topics: Life of area pioneers.

The program is four years old, ongoing, with funding provided by individual donations and membership fees.

Ten persons interviewed on tape, 40 to 50 written stories, all preserved. Four or five interviews transcribed. Policy for scholarly use not yet fully developed.

#### *SPOKANE PUBLIC LIBRARY:*

Florence K. Johnson and Mary C. Johnson  
Voices of the Pioneers  
Spokane Public Library  
West 906 Main Avenue  
Spokane, Washington 99201

Major topics: history of Spokane and the Inland Empire as told by pioneers or their descendants.

Memoirs deserving special mention: extensive list available upon request.

The program is 15 years old, ongoing, and is administered by the Friends of the Library, Inc. Funding is through small donations.

Fifty-four persons have been interviewed, 30-40 hours of tape, all preserved. The collection is available to scholars applying in person and agreeing to the regulations established by the institution, and research services can be arranged for those unable to come.



*UNIVERSITY OF WASHINGTON:*

Richard C. Berner, University Archivist  
Oral History Project  
Archives and Manuscripts Division  
University of Washington Library  
Seattle, Washington 98105

Major Topic: Ethnic history.

Program has been in existence ten years, ongoing, a part of the library, with money provided by the institution.

Three or four interviews have been transcribed, all tapes preserved, final copy is not edited or indexed, no master index. Available to scholars applying in person and agreeing to the regulations established by the institution.

LaMar Harrington  
Assistant Director, Henry Art Gallery  
University of Washington  
Seattle, Washington 98105

Major Topic: Art.

Purpose of the program: to provide source material about distinguished artists and craftsmen of the Northwestern United States for scholars, professional persons, and the general public.

The program began in 1970 and is autonomous, with funds provided by foundation grants.

Two persons interviewed, two hours of tape, both preserved. The collection will soon be available through inter-library loan, with research and reproduction services. Scholars may apply in person. Portions of the tapes may be restricted for a time at the request of the artist.

*WALLA WALLA COLLEGE:*

Dan S. Harris  
Oral History Project  
Walla Walla College  
College Place, Washington 99324

Purpose of the program: resource for courses in history and sociology.

The program is two years old, ongoing, and autonomous. Funding is provided by the institution.

### *96 Washington / West Virginia*

Twenty-five persons have been interviewed, 30 hours of tape, all preserved. Twenty interviews have been transcribed, 800 pages. Collection is restricted to campus use.

The tapes are being used by student teachers in Methods of Teaching Social Studies; they make tapes at the High School during student teaching.

## **WEST VIRGINIA**

### **KANAWHA COUNTY PUBLIC LIBRARY:**

June R. Martin  
Reference Librarian  
123 Capitol Street  
Charleston, West Virginia 25301

Major Topics: History of Charleston and Kanawha Valley.

Memoirs deserving special mention: Several members of early families who settled Charleston; educators, writers and historians. Interviews planned on medicine in Charleston, Negro life, the law, Kanawha players, education and chemical plants.

The program began 1970, administered by the library as part of the Reference Department, with funds provided by the institution.

Ten persons interviewed, 25 hours of tape, all preserved, final copy edited and indexed, no master index. Research and reproduction services can be arranged for persons unable to come to the institution.

### **NATIONAL PARK SERVICE:**

David H. Wallace, Acting Archivist  
Harpers Ferry Center  
Harpers Ferry, West Virginia 25425

Major topics and purpose: To supplement with personal reminiscences and interpretation the official records of major National Park Service programs.

Present program, established December 1970, is building upon oral history program carried out 1962-63, part of Service Archives program.

One hundred thirty-five persons interviewed for approximately 140 hours; all tapes preserved; about 3600 pages of transcript, edited, with topical and biographical index; no master index.

Access to be determined.

**WEST VIRGINIA UNIVERSITY:**

J. William Hess  
Curator, West Virginia Collection  
West Virginia University Library  
Morgantown, West Virginia 26506

Major Topics: Interviews with coal miners, folk singers, older citizens, University leaders.

Memoirs deserving special mention: James Morton Callahan, Oliver Perry Chitwood, Irvin Stewart, Armand Collett, Elvis J. Stahr; coal miners.

Purpose of the program: To record the history and culture of the state and the University.

Fourteen years in existence, ongoing, part of the library's regional history program, money provided by the institution.

One hundred and twenty persons interviewed, 143 tape hours, all preserved, 17 interviews transcribed. Final copy is not indexed or edited, no master index. Collection available to scholars applying in person and agreeing to the regulations established by the institution.

**WISCONSIN**

**MARQUETTE UNIVERSITY ARCHIVES:**

R.N. Hamilton  
Oral History Program  
Memorial Library Archives  
1415 West Wisconsin Avenue  
Milwaukee, Wisconsin 53233

Major Topics: Northwestern Mutual Life Insurance Company.

Purpose of the program: History of the institution.

The program has been in existence six years, ongoing, administered by the library, funded by small donations.

Seven persons interviewed, 14 hours of tape, all preserved, seven interviews transcribed. Final copy is edited but not indexed, no master index. Not open for scholarly use at present.

Plan to supplement library manuscript collections with oral history interviews.

98 *Wisconsin*

*STATE HISTORICAL SOCIETY OF WISCONSIN:*

F. Gerald Ham  
State Archivist  
816 State Street  
Madison, Wisconsin 53706

Major Topics: Wisconsin—local history, biography and reminiscences, ethnic groups, industry, conservation and forestry, Jewish archives. National—mass communications, public relations, theater, civil rights, labor.

The program has been in existence since 1965, ongoing. Interviewing is handled by our Field Services Division; tapes are administered by the Division of Archives and Manuscripts, funded by money provided by the institution.

Fifteen hundred reels of tape, all preserved, 2,500 pages of transcription, final copy catalogued. A few tapes are restricted.

*WISCONSIN STATE UNIVERSITY:*

David J. Olson  
Director, Oral History Project  
Area Research Center  
WSU, River Falls 54022

Major Topics: Local history of Western Wisconsin and the St. Croix Valley.

Purpose of program: To preserve the history of the St. Croix Valley.

Four years in existence, ongoing, part of the history department, funded by government grants and money from the institution.

Thirty persons interviewed, 50 hours of tape, all preserved, 26 interviews transcribed, 470 pages. Final copy will be indexed, some final copies edited; there is a master index. Collection available to scholars applying in person and agreeing to the regulations established by the institution; research and reproduction services available for persons unable to come.

*WISCONSIN STATE UNIVERSITY, LA CROSSE:*

Howard Fredricks, Director  
Edwin Hill, Curator  
Area Research Center, Murphy Library  
Wisconsin State University, La Crosse  
La Crosse, Wisconsin 54601

### *Wisconsin / Wyoming 99*

Major Topics: History of Wisconsin State University, memoirs of prominent people in the community, local and area history.

Memoirs deserving special mention: State Senator Raymond Bice; 3rd district Congressman William Stevenson; pioneer in vocational education, John Coleman.

The program has been in existence three years, ongoing, part of the library and history department. Funding is provided by the institution.

Fourteen persons have been interviewed, four hours of tape, all preserved. Ten interviews have been transcribed. The final copy has been indexed biographically and topically; there is also a master index to the collection. The collection is available to scholars applying in person and agreeing to the regulations established by the institution.

Ear phones and listening booths are provided for researchers who wish to listen to the tapes.

## **WYOMING**

### *UNIVERSITY OF WYOMING:*

Gene M. Gressley, Director  
Petroleum History and Research Center  
Box 3334  
Laramie, Wyoming 82070

Major Topic: Petroleum pioneers.

Program undertaken in 1960's. Forty to fifty tapes, narrating experiences of early oil men. Collection available to scholars applying in person and agreeing to the regulations established by the institution.

Plans to renew oral history program under consideration.

### *WYOMING STATE ARCHIVES:*

Mrs. Katherine Halverson, Director  
Wyoming State Archives and Historical Department  
State Office Building  
Cheyenne, Wyoming 82001

Major Topics: Early history of Wyoming through reminiscences of pioneer residents.

The program has been in existence ten years, ongoing, and part of the library. Funding is provided by the institution.

The number of persons interviewed is between 150-200 for 500 hours of tape, all preserved. A master index is planned. There will be provisions for scholarly use with certain restrictions.

## APPENDIX A

The following institutions have conducted oral history programs on their own history or interests. Since these collections are primarily for internal use and often restricted, they are listed separately.

	Persons	Hours	Pages
<b>Alabama</b>			
Aerospace Studies Institute Air University Maxwell Air Force Base Alabama 36112	N.A.	N.A.	N.A.
<b>Connecticut</b>			
John B. Mellecker Chemists Club 218 Benedict Hill Road New Canaan, Connecticut 06840	44	N.A.	N.A.
<b>Illinois</b>			
Reference Librarian Lumpkin Library Blackburn College Carlinville, Illinois 62626	9	N.A.	N.A.
<b>Indiana</b>			
Jeanne C. Stuntz Delphi Farm Supply Co. P.O. Box 57 Delphi, Indiana 46923	30	41	338
Rev. Frank Wittouck, S.C.J. Priests of the Sacred Heart Divine Heart Seminary Donaldson, Indiana 46513	24	30	N.A.
R.B. Eckles 127 University Hall Purdue University Lafayette, Indiana 47907	3	21	N.A.

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	Persons	Hours	Pages
<b>Iowa</b>			
Stanley Yates Iowa State History Collection Iowa State University Library Ames, Iowa 50010	79	45	N.A.
<b>Louisiana</b>			
Hazel S. Johnson Box 472 Grambling College Grambling, Louisiana 71245	5	N.A.	50
<b>Michigan</b>			
Eastern Michigan University Ypsilanti, Michigan 48197	11	N.A.	55
<b>Missouri</b>			
August R. Suelflow Concordia Historical Institute 801 De Mun Avenue Clayton, Missouri 63105	25	N.A.	100
<b>Nebraska</b>			
J.T. Bohn, Command Historian Headquarters Strategic Command Offutt AFB Omaha, Nebraska 68113	42	42	N.A.
<b>New Hampshire</b>			
Edward C. Echols Davis Library Phillips Exeter Academy Exeter, New Hampshire 03833	10	12	N.A.

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	Persons	Hours	Pages
<b>New York</b>			
Lillian Lester The Brooklyn College Oral Archives Brooklyn, New York 11210	4	2½	N.A.
The Chase Manhattan Bank One Chase Manhattan Plaza New York, New York 10004	12	N.A.	404
Harry Kursh Hollowbrook Lake Peekskill, New York 10566	N.A.	N.A.	N.A.
Scott E. Webber Stony Point, New York 10980	N.A.	N.A.	N.A.
Chester M. Lewis New York Times Archives 229 West 43rd Street New York, New York 10036	4	20	N.A.
William Langlois SUNY Binghamton, New York 13900	20	65	N.A.
J. Walter Thompson 420 Lexington Avenue New York, New York 10017	34	N.A.	680
Time-Life Time-Life Building New York, New York 10020	N.A.	N.A.	N.A.
<b>North Carolina</b>			
Dr. Robert W. Rieke University of North Carolina Charlotte, North Carolina 28213	1	2	52
<b>Ohio</b>			
Antioch College Yellow Springs, Ohio 45387	45	N.A.	N.A.



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	<b>Persons</b>	<b>Hours</b>	<b>Pages</b>
Historical Society of Evangelical United Brethren Church Dayton, Ohio 45400	15	5	N. A.
<b>Oregon</b>			
Oregon State University Corvallis, Oregon 97330	26	12	N.A.
<b>Pennsylvania</b>			
Miriam I. Crawford Samuel Paley Library Temple University Philadelphia, Pennsylvania 19122	30	25	374
<b>Tennessee</b>			
Marvin D. Williams Disciples of Christ Historical Society 1101 Nineteenth Avenue Nashville, Tennessee 37212	N.A.	N.A.	N.A.
Davis C. Wolley Southern Baptist Convention Oral History Project 127 Ninth Avenue Nashville, Tennessee 37203	25	20	N.A.
<b>Utah</b>			
Elena Eyzaguirre Medical Sciences, Spencer Eccles Library University of Utah Salt Lake City, Utah 84112	11	52	N.A.
<b>Vermont</b>			
Lester J. Wallman Medical Center Hospital University of Vermont Burlington, Vermont 05401	3	30	625

## APPENDIX B

The following institutions have indicated plans for an oral history program:

### Arizona

University Library  
Arizona State University  
Tempe, Arizona 85281

Carl Hayden Project  
Department of Political Science  
Arizona State University  
Tempe, Arizona 85281

University of Arizona Library  
Tucson, Arizona 85700

### California

Contra Costa County Library  
1750 Oak Park Boulevard  
Pleasant Hill, California 94523

Richmond Public Library  
Civic Center Plaza  
Richmond, California 94804

San Fernando Valley Historical Society  
10940 Sepulveda Boulevard  
Mission Hills, California 91340

San Francisco Public Library  
Civic Center  
San Francisco, California 94102

San Jose Public Library  
San Jose, California 95113

San Leandro Community Library Center  
300 Estudillo Avenue  
San Leandro, California 94577

Department of History  
University of California  
Irvine, California 92664

Department of History  
Victor Valley College  
Victorville, California 92392

### Colorado

Garfield County Library  
New Castle, Colorado 81647

Western Historical Collections  
University of Colorado Libraries  
Boulder, Colorado 80304

### Connecticut

Connecticut College Library  
New London, Connecticut 06320

Mystic Seaport  
Mystic, Connecticut 06355

### Florida

Medical School Library  
P.O. Box 875  
University of Miami  
Miami, Florida 33152

### Georgia

Augusta-Richmond County Public Library  
902 Greene Street  
Augusta, Georgia 30900

Department of Archives & History  
Atlanta, Georgia 30334

Department of History  
Georgia State College  
33 Gilmer St. S.E.  
Atlanta, Georgia 30303

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Department of Speech  
University of Georgia  
Athens, Georgia 30601

**Illinois**

Franklin Park Library  
9618 Franklin Avenue  
Franklin Park, Illinois 60131

Rush Medical College Library  
1758 West Harrison Street  
Chicago, Illinois 60612

Sangamon State University  
Springfield, Illinois 62703

**Indiana**

Professor William Giffin  
Indiana State University  
Terre Haute, Indiana 47809

Vigo County Public Library  
222 N. Seventh Street  
Terre Haute, Indiana 47801

Wabash Carnegie Public Library  
81 East Hill Street  
Wabash, Indiana 46992

**Kansas**

Kansas State University Libraries  
Manhattan, Kansas 66502

Regional History Department  
Kenneth Spencer Research Library  
Kansas University  
Lawrence, Kansas 66044

**Kentucky**

Logan County Public Library  
Sixth and Winter Streets  
Russellville, Kentucky 42276

**Louisiana**

Southeastern Louisiana College  
College Station  
Hammond, Louisiana 70401

**Maryland**

Maryland Historical Society  
201 West Monument Street  
Baltimore, Maryland 21201

Mrs. Stanley J. Asrael  
Montgomery County League of Women Voters  
302 Ellsworth Drive  
Silver Spring, Maryland 20900

Prince George's County Memorial Library  
6530 Adelphi Road  
Hyattsville, Maryland 20782

Institute for Southern History  
Johns Hopkins University  
Baltimore, Maryland 21200

**Massachusetts**

American Jewish Historical Society  
Two Thornton Road  
Waltham, Massachusetts 02154

Assumption College  
500 Salisbury Street  
Worcester, Massachusetts 01609

Professor William M. Daly  
Department of History  
Boston College  
Chestnut Hill, Massachusetts 02167

Dr. Norbert Bernstein  
Oral History of American Jews  
Brandeis University Libraries  
Waltham, Massachusetts 02154

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Miss Kathleen B. Hegarty  
Brighton Historical Society  
95 Arlington Street  
Brighton, Massachusetts 02135

Cardinal Cushing College  
Fisher Hill  
Brookline, Massachusetts 02146

Mt. Holyoke College  
South Hadley, Massachusetts 01075

Museum of Science  
Science Park  
Boston, Massachusetts 02114

National Trust for Historic Preservation  
Chesterwood  
Stockbridge, Massachusetts 01262

Radcliffe College  
Schlesinger Library  
3 James Street  
Cambridge, Massachusetts 02138

Mrs. Jacqueline Van Voris  
Smith College Archives  
William A. Neilson Library  
Northampton, Massachusetts 01068

Miss Jean Glasscock  
Wellesley College  
11 Westwood Road  
Wellesley, Massachusetts 02181

Winchester Public Library  
80 Washington Street  
Winchester, Massachusetts 01890

**Michigan**

International Afro-American Museum  
1549 West Grand Boulevard  
Detroit, Michigan 48208

**Minnesota**

Dr. Paul H. Giddens  
Hamline University  
St. Paul, Minnesota 55101

Southwest Minnesota State  
College Library  
Marshall, Minnesota 56258

University of Minnesota Libraries  
Minneapolis, Minnesota 55455

**Mississippi**

Department of History  
Tougaloo College  
Tougaloo, Mississippi 39174

**Missouri**

Southwest Missouri State College  
Springfield, Missouri 65802

**Nebraska**

Chadron State College Library  
Chadron, Nebraska 69337

**New Jersey**

Bergen Community College  
400 Paramus Road  
Paramus, New Jersey 07652

Joint Free Public Library  
Morristown and Morris Township  
One Miller Road  
Morristown, New Jersey 07960

New Jersey Historical Society  
230 Broadway  
Newark, New Jersey 07104

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**New Mexico**

Dr. Monroe Billington  
New Mexico State University  
Box 33H  
Las Cruces, New Mexico 88001

500 Pittsboro Street  
Chapel Hill, North Carolina 27514

Mr. Algie Newlin  
Guilford College  
Greensboro, North Carolina 27400

**New York**

Cayuga Museum of History and Art  
203 Genesee Street  
Auburn, New York 13021

Department of Sociology  
University of North Carolina  
Chapel Hill, North Carolina 27514

Urban & Ethnic Studies Department  
City College of New York  
Convent Ave. and 136th Street  
New York, N.Y. 10031

**Ohio**

Mrs. Nathan Rohfeld  
Case Western Reserve University  
Cleveland, Ohio 44106

Colgate University Library  
Hamilton, New York 13346

Professor Wilfred J. Steiner  
Department of History  
University of Dayton  
Dayton, Ohio 45409

New York University Archivist  
Washington Square  
New York, New York 10003

Mr. James A. Eldridge  
Ohio University  
Chillicothe, Ohio 45601

Professor Theodore Grieder  
New York University  
New York New York 10003

Western Reserve Historical Society  
10825 East Boulevard  
Cleveland, Ohio 44106

Tamiment Library  
New York University  
7 East 15th Street  
New York, New York 10003

**Oklahoma**

Northeastern State College  
Tahlequah, Oklahoma 74464

The Reader's Digest "Project Recall"  
Pleasantville, New York 10570

Visual Studies Workshop  
4 Elton Street  
Rochester, New York 14607

**Pennsylvania**

Presbyterian Historical Society  
425 Lombard Street  
Philadelphia, Pennsylvania 19147

**North Carolina**

Carolina Population Center  
University of North Carolina

Spalding Memorial Library  
724 South Main Street  
Athens, Pennsylvania 18810

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Temple University  
Philadelphia, Pennsylvania 19122

Western Pennsylvania Jewish History  
Project  
507 Social Sciences Building  
University of Pittsburgh  
Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania 15213

**Puerto Rico**

Biblioteca General  
Universidad de Puerto Rico  
Rio Piedras, Puerto Rico 00931

**Rhode Island**

Oldport Association, Inc.  
37 Touro Street  
Newport, Rhode Island 02840

Department of State Library Services  
95 Davis Street  
Providence, Rhode Island 02908

History Department  
University of Rhode Island  
Kingston, Rhode Island 02881

U.S. Naval War College  
Newport, Rhode Island 02840

**South Dakota**

Augustana College  
Mikkelsen Library  
Sioux Falls, South Dakota 57102

**Tennessee**

Mrs. Ann Allen Shockley  
Fisk University Library  
Nashville, Tennessee 37203

**Utah**

Utah Historical Society  
603 East South Temple  
Salt Lake City, Utah 84102

Weber State College Library  
Ogden, Utah 84403

**Virginia**

Former Members of Congress  
300 N. Lee Street Room 304  
Alexandria, Virginia 22314

University of Virginia Library  
Charlottesville, Virginia 22901

Virginia History Federation  
P.O. Box 1244  
Norfolk, Virginia 23501

**West Virginia**

Mr. Clarence Coffindaffer  
Clarksburg Public Library  
Clarksburg, West Virginia 26301

**Wisconsin**

Carthage College  
Kenosha, Wisconsin 53140

Rock County Historical Society  
P.O. Box 896  
Janesville, Wisconsin 53545

Mr. Clayton W. Henderson  
American Musicological Society  
1010 Bushnell Street  
Beloit, Wisconsin 53511

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